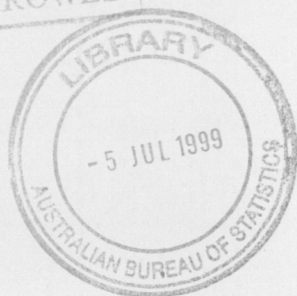
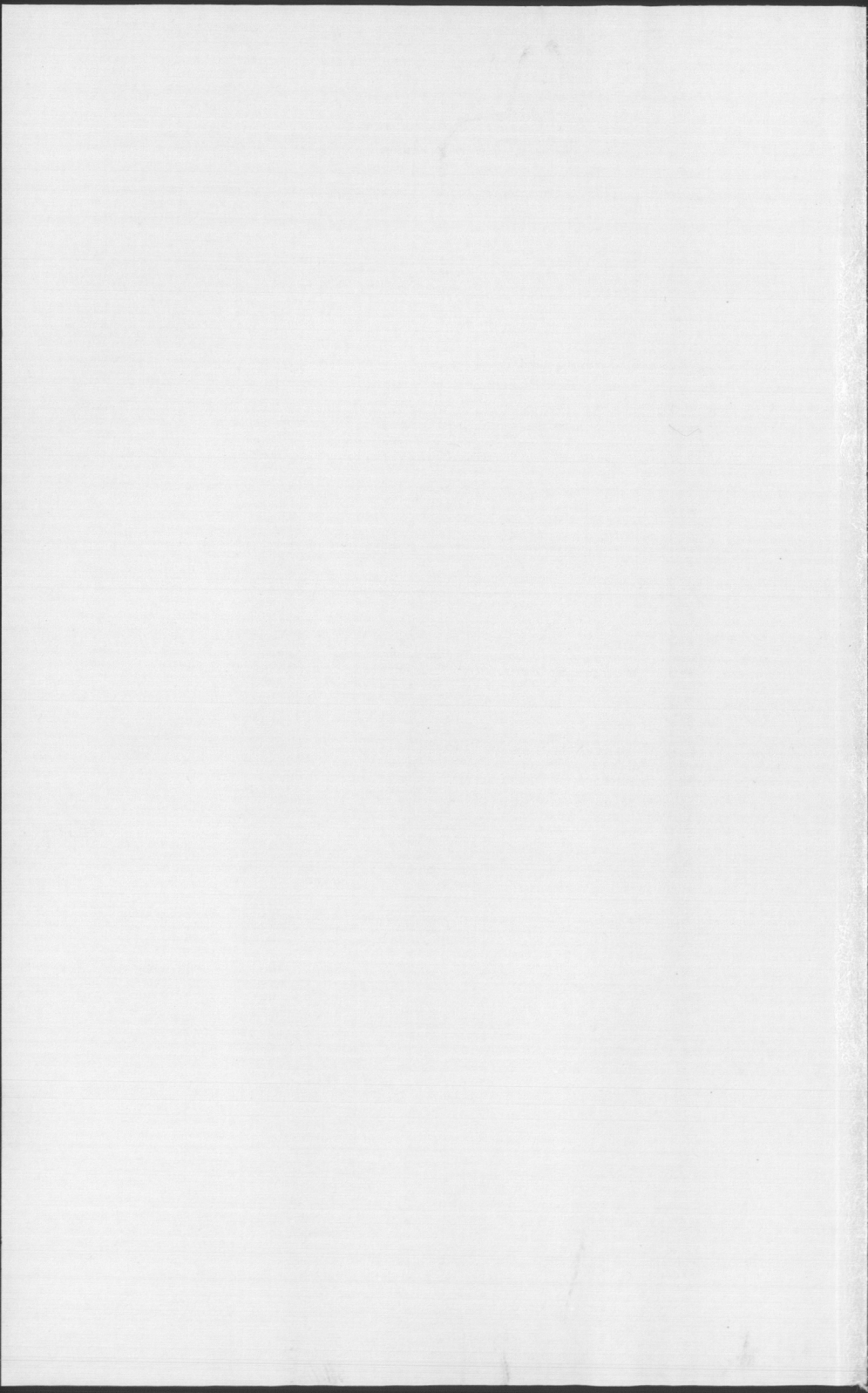


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.. 1861 TO 1901.

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# AUSTRALASIAN STATISTICS,

1861-1901.

No. 1.—Area and Census Population on the 31st March, 1901.

State.	Area.	Population.			Population per Square mile.
		Males.	Females.	Total.	
	sq. miles.				
New South Wales.....	310,700	712,456	646,677	1,359,133	4·38
Victoria .....	87,884	603,883	597,458	1,201,341	13·67
Queensland .....	668,497	280,092	223,174	503,266	0·75
South Australia .....	903,690	184,422	178,182	362,604	0·40
Western Australia .....	975,920	112,875	71,249	184,124	0·19
Tasmania .....	26,215	89,624	82,851	172,475	6·57
Commonwealth .....	2,972,906	1,983,352	1,799,591	3,782,943	1·27
New Zealand .....	104,471	405,992	366,727	772,719	7·39
Australasia... ..	3,077,377	2,389,344	2,166,318	4,555,662	1·48

NOTE.—The population of New South Wales includes 4,287 aborigines (full bloods and half-castes in a nomadic state), of whom 2,451 were males and 1,836 females. Included in the figures for Victoria are 271 aborigines; in those for Queensland, 6,670 aborigines; and in those for Western Australia 921 half-caste aboriginals, 476 males and 445 females.

## No. 2.—Habitations of the People at Census, 1901.

Description of Dwelling.	New South Wales.	Victoria.	Queensland.	South Australia.	Western Australia.	Tasmania.	Commonwealth.	New Zealand.	Australasia.
Inhabited .....	252,502	241,410	98,737	69,856	48,506	34,165	745,176	158,898	904,074
Uninhabited .....	14,831	11,629	1,670	5,640	2,263	2,187	38,220	10,830	49,050
Being built .....	1,433	617	*	353	201	118	2,732	865	3,597
†Total .....	268,771	253,656	100,407	75,854	50,970	36,470	786,128	170,593	956,721

\* In Queensland no provision was made on Schedules at the Census of 1901 for buildings in course of erection. † Excluding ships and vessels.

## No. 3.—Materials of which Dwellings are built, Census, 1901.

Materials.	New South Wales.	Victoria.	Queensland.	South Australia.	Western Australia.	Tasmania.	New Zealand.
Stone .....	10,793	8,469	300	45,136	3,931	8,059	7,194
Brick .....	92,879	63,627	2,248	13,479	8,371		...
Concrete, Pisé .....	1,525	1,525	...	2,664	1,164	...	...
Iron, Metal .....	5,380	1,337	6,215	2,787	5,590	...	143,618
Wood .....	140,432	157,112	77,419	9,471	12,296	23,653	...
Lath and Plaster .....	4,952	...	...	...	...	...	...
Mud, Bark .....	...	2,396	...	...	495	1,304	1,522
Canvas (including Tents) ..	8,874	3,423	9,609	1,564	18,628	869	5,116
Others and Unspecified ..	3,886	3,021	2,946	753	495	2,585	1,448
Total .....	268,771	241,410	98,737	75,854	50,970	36,470	158,898

NOTE.—In New South Wales, South Australia, Tasmania, and Western Australia the information is shown for all dwellings; in the other States for inhabited dwellings only.

## No. 4.—Number of Rooms in Dwellings, Census, 1901.

Number of Rooms.	New South Wales.	Victoria.	Queensland.	South Australia.	Western Australia.	Tasmania.	New Zealand.
One .....	7,915	6,841	3,606	*2,902	14,485	2,962	13,263
Two .....	16,275	11,470	5,782	5,776	7,308	3,529	10,462
Three and Four .....	79,366	80,076	25,108	31,180	17,278	13,023	45,499
Five and Six .....	98,641	84,914	31,924	24,061	7,319	8,193	52,585
Seven to Ten .....	43,844	43,242	16,158	...	2,886	4,158	...
Eleven to Fifteen .....	6,928	5,615	2,104	11,086	647	1,968	36,542
Sixteen to Twenty .....	1,612	1,157	548		226		
Over Twenty .....	1,205	909	529	...	200	...	...
Not stated .....	5,889	3,763	423	849	612	2,632	547
Tents, &c. ....	7,096	3,423	12,555	...	...	...	...
Total .....	268,771	241,410	98,737	75,854	50,970	36,470	158,898

\* Mostly tents on mines and public works. See Note to Table 3.



## No. 5.—Ages of the People at Census, 1901.

Age Groups.	New South Wales.	Victoria	Queensland.	South Australia.	Western Australia.	Tasmania.	Commonwealth.	New Zealand.	Australasia.	
Under 5 years										
{ Males ..	80,308	66,786 <sup>92</sup>	31,307	20,260	10,441	10,702	219,804 <sup>10</sup>	44,324	264,128	34
{ Females	78,553	65,162 <sup>3</sup>	30,687	19,817	10,234	10,163	214,616 <sup>7</sup>	42,482	257,098	9
Total.....	158,861	131,948 <sup>55</sup>	61,994	40,077	20,675	20,865	434,420 <sup>17</sup>	86,806	521,226	33
5 years and under 15..										
{ Males ..	165,771	139,425 <sup>19</sup>	60,918	44,949	16,396	21,809	449,266 <sup>57</sup>	86,414	535,671	1
{ Females	162,043	137,113 <sup>1</sup>	59,504	44,211	16,176	21,351	440,396 <sup>6</sup>	84,547	524,943	3
Total.....	327,814	276,538 <sup>0</sup>	120,417	89,160	32,572	43,160	889,661 <sup>53</sup>	170,961	1,060,622	14
15 years and under 21..										
{ Males ..	83,177	69,319 <sup>1</sup>	28,514	23,625	9,045	11,152	224,823 <sup>4</sup>	51,015	275,838	9
{ Females	84,193	71,326 <sup>61</sup>	27,160	23,889	7,127	10,899	224,594 <sup>609</sup>	50,941	275,535	50
Total.....	167,370	140,636 <sup>52</sup>	55,674	47,514	16,172	22,051	449,417 <sup>33</sup>	101,956	551,373	59
21 years and under 65..										
{ Males ..	351,148	238,826 <sup>24</sup>	144,532	88,251	74,465	42,012	989,284 <sup>42</sup>	204,589	1,193,823	31
{ Females	300,026	292,759 <sup>32</sup>	97,794	82,664	36,603	37,217	847,068 <sup>36</sup>	176,414	1,023,477	50
Total.....	651,174	531,585 <sup>66</sup>	242,326	170,915	111,068	79,229	1,836,297 <sup>78</sup>	381,003	2,217,960	281
65 years and upwards..										
{ Males ..	27,038	36,817 <sup>3</sup>	7,916	7,337	2,259	3,829	85,196 <sup>2</sup>	19,218	104,414	0
{ Females	19,535	29,294 <sup>47</sup>	4,957	7,601	1,063	3,194	65,584 <sup>97</sup>	12,135	77,719	32
Total.....	46,573	66,061 <sup>60</sup>	12,873	14,938	3,322	7,023	150,780 <sup>9</sup>	31,353	182,133	42
Unspecified..										
{ Males ..	2,563	2,556 <sup>1</sup>	3,048	....	239	120	8,556 <sup>1</sup>	432	8,988	3
{ Females	491	1,756 <sup>47</sup>	204	....	46	27	2,584 <sup>35</sup>	208	2,792	
Total.....	3,054	4,312 <sup>47</sup>	3,312	....	315	147	11,140 <sup>35</sup>	640	11,780	75
Total .....										
{ Males ..	710,005	603,720	276,230	184,422	112,875	89,624	1,976,876	405,992	2,382,868	
{ Females	644,841	597,350	220,366	178,182	71,249	82,851	1,794,839	366,727	2,161,566	
Grand Total .....	1,354,846	1,201,070	496,596	362,604	184,124	172,475	3,771,715	772,719	4,544,434	

## No. 6.—Ages of the People at Census, 1901.

Age Groups.	New South Wales.	Victoria.	Que'n's-land.	South Australia.	West-ern Australia.	Tasmania.	Commonwealth.	New Zealand.	Australasia.
MALES.									
Under 5 years .....	80,308	66,786	31,307	20,260	10,441	10,702	219,804	44,324	264,128
5 years and under 10 ..	84,189	72,054	31,908	22,756	8,891	11,160	230,955	43,314	274,269
10 " " 15 ..	81,582	67,374	29,005	22,193	7,505	10,649	218,308	43,100	261,408
15 " " 20 ..	70,423	58,882	23,684	20,007	7,088	9,388	189,472	42,456	231,928
20 " " 25 ..	12,754	10,428	4,830	3,618	1,957	1,764	35,351	8,559	43,910
25 " " 30 ..	49,694	40,144	19,760	13,023	9,884	6,497	139,003	32,637	171,690
30 " " 35 ..	56,273	45,461	23,634	13,771	15,822	7,276	162,231	35,307	197,544
35 " " 40 ..	52,596	46,624	22,639	12,945	14,845	6,422	156,074	29,694	185,765
40 " " 45 ..	52,335	46,718	22,083	12,013	12,441	6,262	151,859	24,301	176,158
45 " " 50 ..	44,930	37,104	18,419	11,371	8,722	5,273	125,819	21,589	147,408
50 " " 55 ..	33,338	24,130	13,046	9,033	5,220	3,760	88,527	19,134	107,661
55 " " 60 ..	25,615	18,336	10,187	6,767	3,453	2,797	67,155	15,413	82,568
60 " " 65 ..	19,634	15,339	7,981	5,336	2,311	1,996	52,597	13,711	66,308
65 " " 70 ..	16,733	14,976	6,783	3,992	1,767	1,729	45,974	12,803	58,777
70 " " 75 ..	13,005	16,080	4,131	2,872	1,101	1,292	38,451	10,160	48,611
75 " " 80 ..	7,772	11,772	2,280	2,282	692	1,123	25,871	5,348	31,219
80 " " 85 ..	3,578	5,738	959	1,290	290	756	12,644	2,285	14,896
85 and upwards .....	800	775	143	646	140	459	6,033	1,050	7,083
Unspecified { Children....	277	502	5	247	36	199	2,200	375	2,575
{ Adults....	2,286	2,054	3,043	....	8	....	792	24	816
Total Males .....	710,005	603,720	276,230	184,422	112,875	80,624	1,976,876	405,992	2,382,568
FEMALES.									
Under 5 years .....	78,553	65,162	30,687	19,817	10,234	10,163	214,076	42,482	257,008
5 years and under 10 ..	81,946	70,495	30,947	22,612	8,856	10,864	225,729	42,422	268,192
10 " " 15 ..	80,097	66,618	28,557	21,509	7,320	10,487	214,678	42,125	256,803
15 " " 20 ..	70,736	59,704	22,792	20,162	5,849	9,063	188,366	42,358	230,664
20 " " 25 ..	13,457	11,622	4,368	3,727	1,278	1,836	36,288	8,583	44,871
25 " " 30 ..	51,361	45,987	16,815	13,813	6,001	6,313	140,294	33,377	173,670
30 " " 35 ..	56,043	52,818	18,284	14,253	8,677	6,561	156,036	33,233	189,869
35 " " 40 ..	46,697	48,160	15,958	12,368	7,298	5,576	136,057	27,272	163,329
40 " " 45 ..	41,593	43,394	13,705	11,213	5,322	5,217	120,444	21,217	141,661
45 " " 50 ..	33,436	33,554	10,710	9,596	3,391	4,467	95,154	17,347	112,501
50 " " 55 ..	24,001	21,800	7,402	7,277	2,151	3,094	65,726	13,997	79,723
55 " " 60 ..	19,327	17,590	6,042	5,573	1,678	2,379	52,589	11,991	64,580
60 " " 65 ..	15,376	15,157	4,918	4,545	1,177	1,885	43,058	9,963	53,021
65 " " 70 ..	12,192	14,290	3,957	4,026	908	1,725	37,107	8,017	45,124
70 " " 75 ..	9,237	13,844	2,400	3,051	570	1,321	30,419	6,028	36,447
75 " " 80 ..	5,202	8,349	1,382	2,280	279	910	18,499	3,379	21,878
80 " " 85 ..	2,844	4,230	705	1,262	133	514	9,688	1,626	11,367
85 and upwards .....	1,574	2,064	343	698	56	302	5,037	852	5,889
Unspecified { Children....	44	372	11	....	15	....	2,038	340	2,378
{ Adults....	447	1,334	253	....	31	27	442	15	457
Total Females .....	644,841	597,350	220,366	178,182	71,249	82,851	1,794,839	366,727	2,161,566

No. 7.—Birthplaces of the People at Census, 1901.

Birthplace.	New South Wales.	Victoria.	Queensland.	South Australia.	Western Australia.	Tasmania.	New Zealand.
New South Wales.. ..	977,176	22,408	24,868	4,128	14,122	2,075	6,492
Victoria .. ..	56,019	875,045	10,272	10,272	39,491	7,949	12,583
Queensland .. ..	14,968	3,010	282,861	506	2,595	288	1,271
South Australia .. ..	22,059	21,924	2,884	16,250	887	1,575	
Western Australia .. ..	887	1,470	199	52,663	96	190	
Tasmania .. ..	7,577	15,363	1,808	1,750	136,629	3,720	
Australia (State undefined) ..	468	1,000	19	81	14	1,222	
Total Commonwealth ..	1,079,154	940,829	321,911	289,440	126,952	147,938	27,053
New Zealand .. ..	10,589	9,022	1,571	711	2,704	1,193	516,106
Total Australasia .. ..	1,089,743	949,851	323,482	290,151	129,656	149,131	543,159
England .. ..	126,117	113,486	68,589	3,789	25,380	12,658	111,964
Wales .. ..	3,022	3,705	19,934	565	919	284	1,705
Scotland .. ..	30,717	35,772	19,934	69,65	5,897	2,986	47,858
Ireland .. ..	59,945	61,462	37,636	11,243	9,862	3,887	43,524
Total United Kingdom ..	220,401	214,366	126,159	56,862	41,551	19,815	205,111
India and Ceylon .. ..	2,957	1,938	1,476	710	842	1,256	382
Canada .. ..	1,063	993	404	190	267	1,439	87
Other British Possessions ..	1,933	1,569	857	429	850	1,497	168
Total British Empire ..	1,316,097	1,168,700	452,378	348,352	173,187	169,583	752,402
German Empire .. ..	8,716	7,015	13,166	6,664	1,527	773	4,217
France and Possessions ..	2,129	953	370	345	272	56	610
Russia .. ..	1,262	958	454	257	400	37	454
Austria .. ..	667	404	240	162	418	23	1,874
Switzerland .. ..	454	903	441	184	118	19	333
Denmark and Possessions ..	1,368	1,022	3,104	262	320	155	2,120
Sweden and Norway .. ..	3,190	2,206	2,142	371	1,174	219	2,827
Italy .. ..	1,577	1,526	847	227	1,354	50	423
Other European Countries and Possessions ..	1,910	1,324	682	420	989	129	870
United States of America and Possessions ..	3,130	2,141	1,315	523	1,036	237	1,671
Chinese Empire .. ..	9,993	6,230	8,472	3,253	1,475	484	2,902
Other Foreign Countries ..	948	373	11,964	325	1,288	41	246
Total Foreign Countries ..	35,344	25,662	43,254	13,507	10,378	2,223	18,582
Born at Sea .. ..	1,967	1,561	634	529	317	1	1,203
Unspecified .. ..	1,438	5,157	330	306	242	698	442
Grand Total .. ..	1,354,846	1,201,070	496,596	362,654	184,124	172,475	772,719

The information for South Australia was not available at date of publication.

New South Wales	977,600	22,425	24,869	4,141	14,131	2,075	6,799
Victoria	56,043	876,590	10,273	10,358	39,516	7,950	13,178
Queensland	14,975	3,021	282,878	608	2,597	288	1,221
South Australia	22,069	21,945	2,364	27,552	16,266	887	1,650
Western Australia	887	1,468	199	959	52,677	96	199
Tasmania	7,586	15,377	1,308	522	1,751	136,642	3,896
Total	1,079,154	940,826	321,911	289,440	126,952	147,938	27,053

## No. 8.—Religions of the People at Census, 1901.

Religious Denomination.	New South Wales.	Victoria.	Queensland.	South Australia.	Western Australia.	Tasmania.	Commonwealth.	New Zealand.
		33,730	12,717		3,125			
Church of England...	623,131	423,055	184,078	106,987	75,654	83,815	1,497,020	314,024
Roman Catholic...	347,286	263,710	120,405	52,193	41,892	30,314	855,800	109,822
Presbyterian...	132,617	191,427	57,442	18,357	14,707	11,523	426,098	176,503
Methodist...	137,638	180,278	46,574	90,125	24,540	24,999	504,154	83,789
Baptist...	16,618	32,746	12,245	21,764	2,914	4,716	91,002	16,085
Congregational...	24,834	17,143	8,300	13,338	4,404	5,544	73,563	6,844
Lutheran...	7,387	13,934	25,470	26,140	1,703	387	75,021	4,833
Salvation Army...	9,585	8,720	5,512	4,030	1,690	1,454	30,997	7,999
Unitarian...	770	788	212	621	150	88	2,629	468
Other Christian...	13,635	28,618	7,368	10,612	3,887	4,770	68,740	18,827
Jew, Hebrew...	6,447	5,897	733	786	1,259	107	15,229	1,612
Mahometan...	1,072	474	*	449	1,191	27	3,248	41
Buddhist, Confucian	5,471	4,814	1,750	3,190	835	355	16,418	2,432
Hindoo, Brahmin...	468	198	122	24	37	...	840	2
Other Non-Christian	1,024	1,029	16,489	160	120	72	18,894	1,041
Freethinker, Agnostic, &c.	3,434	2,368	2,228	590	1,431	†	10,051	3,495
Indefinite...	130	204	...	...	145	...	479	377
No Denomination...	4,623	6,110	1,233	3,917	1,861	515	18,259	4,488
No Religion...	1,642	2,343	700	329	1,675	411	7,100	910
Object...	13,068	10,820	4,790	7,493	3,053	2,900	42,124	18,295
Unspecified...	3,966	5,589	945	1,499	1,026	480	13,506	882
Total	1,354,846	1,201,070	496,596	362,604	184,124	172,475	3,771,715	772,719

\* Included with "Other Non-Christian."

† Included with "No Religion."

## No. 9.—Population on the 31st December.

State.	1860.	1870.	1880.	1890.	1900.	1901.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
New South Wales...	348,546	498,659	747,950	1,121,860	1,364,590	1,379,700
Victoria .....	537,847	726,599	860,067	1,133,270	1,197,390	1,208,710
Queensland ..	28,056	115,567	226,077	392,960	498,250	510,520
South Australia ...	124,112	183,797	267,573	319,410	361,350	364,800
Western Australia	15,227	25,084	29,019	46,290	180,150	194,890
Tasmania .....	87,775	100,765	114,762	145,290	172,980	174,230
Commonwealth	1,141,563	1,650,471	2,245,448	3,159,080	3,774,710	3,832,850
New Zealand.....	79,711	248,400	484,864	626,050	770,680	787,660
Australasia ...	1,221,274	1,898,871	2,730,312	3,785,130	4,545,390	4,620,510

## No. 10.—Increase of Population in ten-year periods.

State.	1851-60.	1861-70.	1871-80.	1881-90.	1891-1900.	†1901.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
New South Wales ...	187,261	150,113	249,291	373,910	242,730	15,110
Victoria .....	461,685	188,752	133,468	273,203	64,120	11,320
Queensland .....	*	87,511	110,510	166,883	105,290	12,270
South Australia .....	60,412	59,685	83,776	51,837	41,940	3,450
Western Australia ...	9,934	9,857	3,935	17,271	133,860	14,740
Tasmania .....	18,905	12,990	13,997	30,528	27,690	1,250
Commonwealth .....	738,197	508,908	594,977	913,632	615,630	58,140
New Zealand .....	57,603	168,689	236,464	141,186	144,630	16,980
Australasia .....	795,800	677,597	831,441	1,054,818	760,260	75,120

\* Included in New South Wales figures. † Increase for one year.

## No. 11.—Annual Increase of Population, 1893-1901.

State.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.	1899.	1900.	1901.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
New South Wales .....	22,760	24,700	23,020	16,700	22,810	21,350	20,950	20,510	15,110
Victoria .....	7,560	6,180	3,670	(-35,590)	2,380	280	6,300	7,720	11,320
Queensland .....	8,930	10,570	12,570	9,190	10,130	11,080	10,890	15,850	12,270
South Australia .....	9,190	4,170	3,590	790	770	2,840	4,080	2,060	3,450
Western Australia .....	6,390	17,010	19,170	36,710	23,970	6,210	2,900	9,120	14,740
Tasmania .....	150	2,070	2,330	4,350	4,590	4,460	3,900	760	1,250
Commonwealth .....	54,980	64,700	64,350	62,150	64,650	46,210	49,020	56,020	58,140
New Zealand .....	21,830	13,870	12,530	15,450	14,900	14,400	13,040	14,180	16,980
Australasia .....	76,810	78,570	76,880	77,600	79,550	60,610	62,060	70,200	75,120

NOTE.—The sign (-) denotes decrease of population.

## No. 12.—Increase of Population by Excess of Births over Deaths.

State.	1851-60.	1861-70.	1871-80.	1881-90.	1891-1900.	†1901.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
New South Wales ...	64,164	104,574	139,950	209,705	226,563	21,854
Victoria .....	62,932	149,817	146,140	161,106	172,915	15,104
Queensland .....	*	19,320	36,661	65,358	88,043	8,296
South Australia .....	27,388	41,736	49,207	68,841	58,563	5,046
Western Australia ...	2,747	3,966	4,573	7,101	15,268	3,199
Tasmania .....	12,138	16,218	15,424	24,956	27,763	3,125
Commonwealth .....	169,369	335,631	391,955	537,067	589,115	56,624
New Zealand .....	12,861	50,052	103,488	131,733	117,419	12,857
Australasia .....	182,230	385,683	495,443	668,800	706,534	69,481

\* Included in New South Wales figures. † Increase for one year.

## No. 13.—Rate of Increase of Population by reason of Excess of Births over Deaths.

State.	Per 1,000 of Mean Population.								
	1861-65.	1866-70.	1871-75.	1876-80.	1881-85.	1886-90.	1891-95.	1896-1900.	*1901.
New South Wales	25·85	24·65	24·06	22·44	21·99	22·56	20·13	16·12	15·93
Victoria .....	25·94	22·75	20·05	16·51	16·11	16·65	16·90	12·50	12·56
Queensland .....	22·01	25·84	22·87	19·82	17·27	23·29	22·33	17·88	16·41
South Australia...	28·44	25·59	21·41	23·38	23·81	21·93	19·33	14·65	13·93
Western Australia	22·76	18·31	15·27	18·65	17·38	20·91	14·46	13·41	16·96
Tasmania.....	18·60	15·59	14·08	15·02	19·02	19·43	19·43	15·81	18·00
Commonwealth	25·44	23·33	21·24	19·65	19·34	20·30	19·05	14·89	14·88
New Zealand ...	23·86	30·23	27·09	29·49	25·50	21·35	17·51	16·19	16·53
Australasia .....	25·17	24·22	22·08	21·34	20·42	20·48	18·79	15·11	15·16

\* Increase during one year.

## No. 14.—Increase of Population by Excess of Arrivals over Departures.

State.	1851-60.	1861-70.	1871-80.	1881-90.	1891-1900.	1901.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
New South Wales.	123,097	45,539	109,341	164,205	16,167	(-) 6,744
Victoria .....	398,753	38,935	(-)12,672	112,097	(-)108,795	(-) 3,784
Queensland .....	*	68,191	73,849	101,525	17,247	3,974
South Australia ...	33,024	17,949	34,569	(-)17,004	(-) 16,623	(-) 1,596
Western Australia	7,187	5,891	(-) 638	10,170	118,592	11,541
Tasmania.....	6,767	(-) 3,228	(-) 1,427	5,572	(-) 73	(-) 1,875
Commonwealth.	568,828	173,277	203,022	376,565	26,515	1,516
New Zealand .....	44,742	118,637	132,976	9,453	27,211	4,123
Australasia *...	613,570	291,914	335,998	386,018	53,726	5,629

NOTE.—The sign (-) denotes loss of population by excess of departures over arrivals.

\* Included in New South Wales figures.

## No. 15.—Births, Deaths, and Marriages, 1901.

State.	Births.			Illegitimate Births, included in preceding column.	Deaths.			Marriages.
	Males.	Females	Total.		Males.	Females	Total.	
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
New South Wales ...	19,149	18,726	37,875	2,712	9,327	6,694	16,021	10,538
Victoria .....	15,876	15,132	31,008	1,729	9,035	6,869	15,904	8,406
Queensland .....	7,281	7,022	14,303	848	3,838	2,169	6,007	3,341
South Australia .....	4,687	4,424	9,111	361	2,289	1,776	4,065	2,309
Western Australia ...	2,946	2,772	5,718	222	1,653	866	2,519	1,821
Tasmania .....	2,570	2,360	4,930	193	994	811	1,805	1,338
Commonwealth...	52,509	50,436	102,945	6,065	27,136	19,185	46,321	27,753
New Zealand.....	10,471	10,020	20,491	937	4,418	3,216	7,634	6,095
Australasia .....	62,980	60,456	123,436	7,002	31,554	22,401	53,955	33,848



## No. 16.—Excess of Births over Deaths, 1901.

State.	Births.		Deaths.		Excess of Births over Deaths		
	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Total.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
New South Wales.....	19,149	18,726	9,327	6,694	9,822	12,032	21,854
Victoria .....	15,876	15,132	9,035	6,869	6,841	8,263	15,104
Queensland.....	7,281	7,022	3,838	2,169	3,443	4,853	8,296
South Australia.....	4,687	4,424	2,289	1,776	2,398	2,648	5,046
Western Australia .....	2,946	2,772	1,653	866	1,293	1,906	3,199
Tasmania .....	2,570	2,360	994	811	1,576	1,549	3,125
Commonwealth .....	52,509	50,436	27,136	19,185	25,373	31,251	56,624
New Zealand .....	10,471	10,020	4,418	3,216	6,053	6,804	12,857
Australasia.....	62,980	60,456	31,554	22,401	31,426	38,055	69,481

## No. 17.—Birth, Death, and Marriage Rates, 1901.

State.	Per 1,000 of Mean Population.					Per-centage of Illegiti- mate to Total Births.
	Births.			Deaths.	*Marriages	
	Legiti- mate.	Illegiti- mate.	Total.			
New South Wales .....	25·62	1·98	27·60	11·68	7·68	7·16
Victoria .....	24·34	1·43	25·77	13·22	6·99	5·56
Queensland .....	26·68	1·68	28·36	11·91	6·62	5·93
South Australia .....	24·10	0·99	25·09	11·20	6·36	3·96
Western Australia .....	29·31	1·18	30·49	13·43	9·71	3·85
Tasmania .....	27·28	1·11	28·39	10·40	7·71	3·91
Commonwealth.....	25·47	1·59	27·06	12·18	7·50	5·89
New Zealand .....	25·10	1·20	26·30	9·80	7·22	4·56
Australasia .....	25·40	1·53	26·93	11·77	7·39	5·67

\*The figures in this column doubled give the ratio of persons married per 1,000 of mean population.

## No. 18.—Births.

State.	1861.	1871.	1881.	1891.	1901.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
New South Wales.....	14,681	20,143	28,993	39,458	37,875
Victoria .....	23,461	27,382	27,145	38,505	31,008
Queensland.....	1,423	5,205	8,220	14,715	14,303
South Australia.....	5,551	7,082	10,708	10,751	9,111
Western Australia .....	585	760	1,005	1,786	5,718
Tasmania .....	3,207	3,053	3,918	4,971	4,930
Commonwealth .....	48,908	63,625	79,989	110,186	102,945
New Zealand.....	3,441	10,592	18,732	18,273	20,491
Australasia.....	52,349	74,217	98,721	128,459	123,436

## No. 19.—Deaths.

State.	1861.	1871.	1881.	1891.	1901.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
New South Wales.....	5,343	6,407	11,536	16,286	16,021
Victoria .....	10,522	9,918	12,302	18,631	15,934
Queensland.....	500	1,785	3,320	5,170	6,007
South Australia.....	1,962	2,378	4,012	4,231	4,065
Western Australia.....	257	332	412	869	2,519
Tasmania .....	1,477	1,363	1,733	2,234	1,805
Commonwealth .....	20,061	22,183	33,315	47,421	46,321
New Zealand .....	1,109	2,642	5,491	6,518	7,634
Australasia.....	21,170	24,825	38,806	53,939	53,955

## No. 20.—Marriages.

State.	1861.	1871.	1881.	1891.	1901.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
New South Wales.....	3,222	3,953	6,284	8,457	10,538
Victoria .....	4,434	4,693	5,896	8,780	8,406
Queensland.....	320	970	1,703	2,905	3,341
South Australia.....	1,158	1,250	2,308	2,315	2,309
Western Australia.....	149	159	197	413	1,821
Tasmania .....	717	598	856	988	1,338
Commonwealth .....	10,000	11,623	17,244	23,858	27,753
New Zealand .....	878	1,864	3,277	3,805	6,095
Australasia.....	10,878	13,487	20,521	27,663	33,848

## No. 21.—Population of Capital Cities.

City.	1861.	1871.	1881.	1891.	1901.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
Sydney .....	95,789	137,776	224,939	383,283	496,990
Melbourne .....	139,916	206,780	282,947	490,896	501,580
Brisbane .....	6,051	15,029	31,109	93,657	119,428
Adelaide .....	18,303	42,744	103,864	133,252	163,430
Perth .....	2,550	5,244	5,822	8,447	36,274
Hobart .....	19,440	19,092	21,118	33,450	34,682
Wellington .....	6,700	7,908	20,563	33,224	49,344

No. 22.—Births, Deaths, and Rates of Capital Cities, 1901.

City.	Births.		Deaths.		Excess of Births over Deaths.
	Total.	Per 1,000 of Mean Population.	Total.	Per 1,000 of Mean Population.	Per 1,000 of Mean Population.
	No.		No.		
Sydney .....	12,601	25·65	6,197	12·62	13·03
Melbourne .....	12,375	24·84	7,515	15·09	9·75
Brisbane .....	3,457	28·83	1,522	12·72	16·16
Adelaide .....	3,930	24·23	2,130	13·13	11·10
Perth .....	1,304	35·10	622	16·74	18·36
Hobart .....	909	26·23	501	14·46	11·77
Wellington.....	1,326	26·87	503	10·29	16·58

NOTE.—Suburbs are in every case included.

No. 23.—Shipping, 1901.

State.	Entere .		Cleared.		Tonnage entered.	
	Vessels.	Tonnage.	Vessels.	Tonnage.	Steam.	Sailing.
	No.		No.			
New South Wales	3,452	4,196,408	3,375	4,324,826	3,523,401	673,007
Victoria .....	2,418	3,392,226	2,347	3,323,265	3,110,217	282,009
Queensland.....	684	853,515	675	832,305	*782,245	*71,270
South Australia ..	1,128	2,049,240	1,139	2,030,126	+1,825,900	+223,340
West'rn Australia	884	1,842,236	901	1,872,027	1,672,554	169,682
Tasmania .....	816	706,044	820	726,681	679,551	26,493
Commonwealth	9,382	13,039,669	9,257	13,159,230	11,593,868	1,445,801
New Zealand.....	688	1,063,274	691	1,075,906	920,883	142,391
Australasia ...	10,070	14,102,943	9,948	14,235,136	12,514,751	1,588,192

\* Approximate distribution.

† All tonnage entered at Port Darwin has been assumed to be steam tonnage.

No. 24.—Shipping—Vessels Entered, 1901.

State.	From Commonwealth States.	Direct from Countries outside the Commonwealth				Total (all Shipping).
		New Zealand.	United Kingdom.	Other Countries.	Total.	
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
New South Wales..	2,303	277	190	682	1,149	3,452
Victoria .....	1,745	115	177	381	673	2,418
Queensland .....	430	1	52	201	254	684
South Australia ...	726	4	157	241	402	1,128
Western Australia..	446	29	105	304	433	884
Tasmania .....	713	59	35	9	103	816
Commonwealth	6,363	485	716	1,818	3,019	9,382
New Zealand.....	427	.....	80	181	261	688
Australasia ...	6,790	485	796	1,999	3,280	10,070

## No. 25.—Shipping—Vessels Cleared, 1901.

State.	For Common- wealth States.	Direct for Countries outside the Commonwealth.				Total (all Shipping).
		New Zealand.	United Kingdom.	Other Countries.	Total.	
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
New South Wales..	1,995	308	198	874	1,380	3,375
Victoria .....	1,794	81	225	247	553	2,347
Queensland .....	395	3	52	225	280	675
South Australia ..	829	12	140	158	310	1,139
Western Australia..	456	4	148	293	445	901
Tasmania .....	694	97	21	8	126	820
Commonwealth	6,163	505	784	1,805	3,094	9,257
New Zealand .....	421	.....	110	160	270	691
Australasia ..	6,584	505	894	1,965	3,364	9,948

## No. 26.—Shipping—Tonnage Entered, 1901.

State.	From Common- wealth States.	Direct from Countries outside the Commonwealth.				Total (all Tonnage).
		New Zealand.	United Kingdom.	Other Countries.	Total.	
	tons.	tons.	tons.	tons.	tons.	tons.
New South Wales..	2,094,297	327,604	566,722	1,207,785	2,102,111	4,196,408
Victoria .....	1,992,118	124,760	530,959	744,389	1,400,108	3,392,226
Queensland .....	545,469	157	97,500	210,389	308,046	853,515
South Australia ..	1,139,690	1,610	467,521	440,419	909,550	2,049,240
Western Australia..	973,474	63,315	284,807	520,640	868,762	1,842,236
Tasmania .....	485,023	97,033	118,658	5,325	221,021	706,044
Commonwealth	7,230,071	614,484	2,066,167	3,128,947	5,809,598	13,039,669
New Zealand .....	534,750	.....	233,110	295,414	528,524	1,063,274
Australasia ..	7,764,821	614,484	2,299,277	3,424,361	6,338,122	14,102,943

## No. 27.—Shipping—Tonnage Cleared, 1901.

State.	For Common- wealth States.	Direct for Countries outside the Commonwealth.				Total (all Tonnage).
		New Zealand.	United Kingdom.	Other Countries.	Total.	
	tons.	tons.	tons.	tons.	tons.	tons.
New South Wales..	1,907,226	370,727	598,619	1,448,254	2,417,600	4,324,826
Victoria .....	2,072,747	124,982	617,462	508,074	1,250,518	3,323,265
Queensland .....	440,659	3,097	138,230	250,319	391,646	832,305
South Australia ..	1,378,999	9,328	384,033	307,766	701,127	2,080,126
Western Australia..	977,846	2,680	338,541	552,960	894,181	1,872,027
Tasmania .....	433,735	216,060	67,702	9,184	292,946	726,681
Commonwealth	7,211,212	726,874	2,144,587	3,076,557	5,948,018	13,159,230
New Zealand .....	517,289	.....	298,974	259,643	558,617	1,075,906
Australasia ..	7,728,501	726,874	2,443,561	3,336,200	6,506,635	14,235,136

## No. 28.—Shipping—Entered.

State.	1861.	1871.	1881.	1891.	1901.
	tons.	tons.	tons.	tons.	tons.
New South Wales.	366,236	706,019	1,456,239	2,821,898	4,196,408
Victoria .....	549,195	663,002	1,219,231	2,338,864	3,392,226
Queensland .....	23,257	59,451	455,985	502,794	853,515
South Australia. ...	103,196	187,314	684,203	1,368,720	2,049,240
Western Australia.	57,456	63,922	145,048	533,433	1,842,236
Tasmania .....	113,610	107,271	192,024	514,706	706,044
Commonwealth	1,212,950	1,786,979	4,152,730	8,080,415	13,039,669
New Zealand .....	197,986	274,643	420,134	618,515	1,063,274
Australasia ...	1,410,936	2,061,622	4,572,864	8,698,930	14,102,943

## No. 29.—Shipping—Cleared.

State.	1861.	1871.	1881.	1891.	1901.
	tons.	tons.	tons.	tons.	tons.
New South Wales..	379,460	794,460	1,330,261	2,872,338	4,324,826
Victoria .....	540,807	692,023	1,193,303	2,376,245	3,323,265
Queensland .....	21,388	57,956	426,506	494,324	832,305
South Australia ...	96,135	186,310	675,388	1,369,869	2,080,126
Western Australia.	57,800	63,026	139,998	512,122	1,872,027
Tasmania .....	116,608	108,889	191,738	529,900	726,681
Commonwealth	1,212,198	1,902,664	3,937,194	8,154,798	13,159,230
New Zealand .....	205,350	265,618	413,487	625,807	1,075,906
Australasia ...	1,417,548	2,168,282	4,370,681	8,780,605	14,235,136

## No. 30.—Total Movement of Shipping—Entered and Cleared.

State.	1861.	1871.	1881.	1891.	1901.
	tons.	tons.	tons.	tons.	tons.
New South Wales..	745,696	1,500,479	2,786,500	5,694,236	8,521,234
Victoria .....	1,090,002	1,355,025	2,412,534	4,715,109	6,715,491
Queensland .....	44,645	117,407	882,491	997,118	1,685,820
South Australia ...	199,331	373,624	1,359,591	2,738,589	4,129,366
Western Australia.	115,256	126,948	285,046	1,045,555	3,714,263
Tasmania .....	230,218	216,160	383,762	1,044,606	1,432,725
Commonwealth	2,425,148	3,689,643	8,109,924	16,235,213	26,198,899
New Zealand .....	403,336	540,231	833,621	1,214,322	2,139,180
Australasia ...	2,828,484	4,229,904	8,943,545	17,479,535	28,338,079

NOTE.—The figures in regard to shipping are exclusive of coastal trade. They are of little value for comparative purposes, as the steamers trading between Australia and Europe usually call at the principal port of Western Australia, South Australia, Victoria, and New South Wales, and are set down in the local returns for the same voyage as twice entered and twice cleared from the ports of the three States first-named, and also as entered and cleared from the ports of New South Wales.

## No. 31.—Shipping Entered and Cleared, per head of Population.

State.	1861.	1871.	1881.	1891.	1901.
	tons.	tons.	tons.	tons.	tons.
New South Wales.....	2·11	2·95	3·64	4·98	6·21
Victoria .....	2·02	1·84	2·77	4·12	5·58
Queensland.....	1·46	0·93	3·90	2·51	3·34
South Australia.....	1·59	2·02	4·91	8·49	11·37
Western Australia .....	7·39	5·06	9·66	21·00	19·80
Tasmania .....	2·56	2·13	3·30	7·01	8·25
Commonwealth .....	2·10	2·20	3·55	5·07	6·89
New Zealand.....	4·51	2·10	1·69	1·97	2·75
Australasia.....	2·27	2·19	3·22	4·56	6·18

## No. 32.—Imports, 1901.

State.	From Common- wealth States.	Direct from Countries outside the Commonwealth.				Total Imports.	* Retained for Home Consumption.
		New Zealand.	United Kingdom	Other Countries.	Total.		
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
New South Wales ....	9,303,011	953,284	10,112,941	6,503,982	17,560,207	26,928,218	19,492,978
Victoria .....	6,240,460	619,894	7,221,801	4,845,185	12,686,880	18,927,340	13,221,564
Queensland .....	2,860,572	21,548	2,474,784	1,019,335	3,515,667	6,376,239	5,959,849
South Australia .....	3,513,544	43,876	2,242,727	1,673,141	3,964,744	7,478,288	3,586,730
Western Australia .....	2,559,020	124,172	2,566,162	1,204,817	3,895,151	6,454,171	6,155,266
Tasmania .....	1,154,001	46,742	628,617	135,839	811,198	1,965,199	1,953,320
Commonwealth .....	25,695,608	1,814,516	25,237,032	15,382,299	42,433,847	68,129,455	50,369,707
New Zealand .....	1,979,320	.....	6,885,831	2,952,764	9,838,595	11,817,915	11,638,565
Australasia .....	27,674,928	1,814,516	32,122,863	18,335,063	52,272,442	79,947,370	62,008,272

\* Exclusive of Gold shown by Customs Statistics as retained for Home consumption; the export of Gold exceeded the imports in each State. See Table 54.

## No. 33.—Exports, 1901.

State.	To Common- wealth States.	Direct to Countries outside the Commonwealth.				Total.	Home Produce Exported.
		New Zealand.	United Kingdom.	Other Countries.	Total.		
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
New South Wales ....	9,140,497	906,306	7,647,063	9,656,358	18,210,627	27,351,124	19,915,884
Victoria .....	5,570,888	465,704	5,425,772	7,183,783	13,075,259	18,646,097	14,134,028
Queensland .....	4,915,520	21,537	3,354,854	957,455	4,333,846	9,249,366	9,009,696
South Australia .....	3,856,851	29,004	2,306,947	2,126,018	4,461,969	8,318,820	4,518,310
Western Australia .....	574,622	9,793	5,625,459	2,305,749	7,941,001	8,515,023	8,216,718
Tasmania .....	1,232,950	25,297	833,628	803,582	1,662,807	2,945,757	2,933,878
Commonwealth .....	25,341,278	1,457,641	25,194,923	23,032,945	49,685,509	75,026,787	58,728,514
New Zealand .....	1,993,831	.....	9,295,375	1,592,218	10,887,593	12,881,424	12,690,460
Australasia .....	27,335,109	1,457,641	34,490,298	24,625,163	60,573,102	87,903,211	71,418,974



## No. 34.—Imports.

State.	1861.	1871.	1881.	1891.	1901.
	£	£	£	£	£
New South Wales..	6,604,069	9,935,067	17,587,012	25,383,397	26,928,218
Victoria .....	13,532,452	12,341,995	16,718,521	21,711,608	18,927,340
Queensland .....	967,951	1,562,665	4,063,625	5,079,004	6,376,239
South Australia ...	1,976,018	2,158,022	5,320,549	10,051,123	7,478,288
Western Australia	147,913	198,011	404,831	1,280,093	6,454,171
Tasmania .....	954,517	778,087	1,431,144	2,051,964	1,965,199
Commonwealth ..	24,182,920	26,973,847	45,525,682	65,557,189	68,129,455
New Zealand .....	2,493,811	4,078,193	7,457,045	6,503,849	11,817,915
Australasia ...	26,676,731	31,052,040	52,982,727	72,061,038	79,947,370

## No. 35.—Imports, per head of Population.

State.	1861.	1871.	1881.	1891.	1901.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
New South Wales.....	18 13 11	19 11 0	23 2 7	22 4 5	19 12 6
Victoria .....	25 1 4	16 14 11	19 4 3	18 19 2	15 14 8
Queensland.....	31 0 3	12 19 9	18 5 8	12 16 2	12 12 10
South Australia .....	15 15 0	11 13 8	19 4 3	31 3 4	20 11 11
Western Australia .....	9 9 8	7 17 0	13 14 3	25 14 3	34 8 4
Tasmania .....	10 12 2	7 13 8	12 5 0	13 15 6	11 6 5
Commonwealth ..	20 19 0	16 1 9	19 18 7	20 9 1	17 18 2
New Zealand .....	27 18 1	15 16 6	15 2 7	10 6 5	15 3 4
Australasia.....	21 9 0	16 1 0	19 1 7	18 15 9	17 8 11

## No. 36.—Imports for Home Consumption, 1901.

State.	Intoxicants and Narcotics.	Other Goods. *	Total.
	£	£	£
New South Wales.....	1 117,887	18,375,091	19,492,978
Victoria .....	643,433	12,576,131	13,221,564
Queensland .....	405,783	5,554,066	5,959,849
South Australia .....	139,407	3,447,323	3,586,730
Western Australia .....	333,095	5,822,171	6,155,266
Tasmania .....	96,907	1,856,413	1,953,320
Commonwealth.....	2,738,512	47,631,195	50,369,707
New Zealand .....	554,131	11,084,434	11,638,565
Australasia.....	3,292,643	58,715,629	62,008,272

\* Not including Gold Coin and Bullion. See Table 54.

## No. 37.—Exports.

State.	1861.	1871.	1881.	1891.	1901.
	£	£	£	£	£
New South Wales..	6,609,461	11,261,219	16,307,805	25,944,020	27,351,124
Victoria.....	13,828,606	14,557,820	16,252,103	16,006,743	18,646,097
Queensland .....	709,599	2,760,045	3,540,366	8,305,387	9,249,366
South Australia ...	2,032,311	3,582,397	4,508,754	10,642,416	8,318,820
Western Australia	95,789	199,281	502,770	799,466	8,515,623
Tasmania .....	905,463	740,638	1,555,576	1,440,818	2,945,757
Commonwealth	24,181,229	33,101,400	42,667,374	63,138,850	75,026,787
New Zealand .....	1,370,247	5,282,084	6,060,866	9,566,397	12,881,424
Australasia ...	25,551,476	38,383,484	48,728,240	72,705,247	87,908,211

## No. 38.—Exports, per head of Population.

State.	1861.	1871.	1881.	1891.	1901.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
New South Wales.....	18 14 2	22 3 2	21 9 0	22 14 3	19 18 8
Victoria .....	25 12 4	19 15 1	18 13 6	13 19 7	15 10 0
Queensland.....	22 14 8	22 18 8	15 18 6	20 18 11	18 6 8
South Australia.....	16 3 11	19 7 11	16 5 7	33 0 0	22 18 3
Western Australia .....	6 2 10	7 18 1	17 0 8	16 1 2	45 8 3
Tasmania .....	10 1 3	7 6 3	13 6 3	9 13 6	16 19 4
Commonwealth .....	20 19 0	19 14 10	18 13 7	19 13 11	19 14 6
New Zealand .....	15 6 8	20 10 0	12 5 11	15 3 8	16 10 8
Australasia.....	20 10 10	19 16 10	17 11 0	18 19 2	19 3 7

## No. 39.—Total Trade.

State.	1861.	1871.	1881.	1891.	1901.
	£	£	£	£	£
New South Wales..	13,213,530	21,196,286	33,894,817	51,327,417	54,279,342
Victoria .....	27,361,058	26,899,815	32,970,624	37,718,351	37,573,437
Queensland .....	1,677,550	4,322,710	7,603,991	13,384,391	15,625,605
South Australia ...	4,008,329	5,740,419	9,829,303	20,693,539	15,797,108
Western Australia	243,702	397,292	907,601	2,079,559	14,969,794
Tasmania .....	1,859,980	1,518,725	2,986,720	3,492,782	4,910,956
Commonwealth	48,364,149	60,075,247	88,193,056	128,696,039	143,156,242
New Zealand .....	3,864,058	9,360,277	13,517,911	16,070,246	24,699,339
Australasia ...	52,228,207	69,435,524	101,710,967	144,766,285	167,855,581

No. 40.—Total Trade, per head of population.

State.	1861.	1871.	1881.	1891.	1901.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
New South Wales.....	37 8 1	41 14 2	44 11 7	44 18 8	39 11 2
Victoria .....	50 13 8	36 10 0	37 17 9	32 18 9	31 4 8
Queensland.....	53 14 11	35 18 5	34 4 2	33 15 1	30 19 6
South Australia.....	31 18 11	31 1 7	35 9 10	64 3 4	43 10 2
Western Australia .....	15 12 6	15 15 1	30 14 11	41 15 5	79 16 7
Tasmania .....	20 13 5	14 19 11	25 11 3	23 9 0	28 5 9
Commonwealth.....	41 18 0	35 16 7	38 12 2	40 3 0	37 12 8
New Zealand .....	43 4 9	36 6 6	27 8 6	25 10 1	31 14 0
Australasia.....	41 19 10	35 17 10	33 12 7	37 14 11	36 12 6

No. 41.—Trade of Principal Ports—1901.

Port.	Imports.	Exports.	Port.	Imports.	Exports.
	£	£		£	£
Sydney .....	22,046,243	19,347,007	Port Darwin ...	106,700	302,931
Newcastle .....	854,782	2,505,062	Fremantle&Perth	5,990,009	7,405,024
Melbourne .....	15,576,424	17,015,767	Albany .....	182,609	394,181
Geelong .....	197,993	634,452	Geraldton.....	137,086	126,972
Brisbane .....	3,811,176	2,494,730	Bunbury .....	42,280	140,158
Townsville.....	780,276	2,109,975	Hobart .....	796,615	769,617
Rockhampton ...	419,736	1,445,663	Launceston .....	779,916	678,960
Bundaberg.....	85,244	229,314	Strahan .....	509,026	992,197
Cairns.....	142,919	388,340	Devonport .....	88,091	386,253
Maryborough ...	180,661	86,742	Auckland.....	3,023,566	1,922,792
Mackay .....	77,969	187,513	Wellington ...	3,046,707	1,943,963
Adelaide.....	4,863,284	4,349,225	Lyttelton .....	2,072,186	2,489,470
Port Pirie .....	411,076	1,584,609	Dunedin .....	2,203,824	1,463,237
Wallaroo .....	67,332	513,353	Napier .....	218,140	806,110
Port Caroline ...	1,848	196,143	Invercargill .....	328,727	1,005,278
Port Augusta ...	7,177	63,965	Timaru.....	176,967	849,986

No. 42.—Exports of Domestic Produce, as per Customs' returns.

State.	1861.	1871.	1881.	1891.	1901.
	£	£	£	£	£
New South Wales	5,016,891	9,227,108	10,784,327	21,085,712	19,915,884
Victoria .....	10,566,368	11,151,662	12,480,567	13,026,426	14,134,028
Queensland .....	698,747	2,407,888	3,478,376	7,979,080	9,009,696
South Australia....	1,838,639	3,289,861	3,755,781	4,810,512	4,518,310
Western Australia	95,000	*198,250	498,634	788,873	8,216,718
Tasmania .....	838,343	730,946	1,548,116	1,367,927	2,933,878
Commonwealth	19,083,988	27,005,715	32,545,801	49,058,530	58,728,514
New Zealand .....	1,339,241	5,171,104	5,762,250	9,400,094	12,690,460
Australasia ...	20,423,229	32,176,819	38,303,051	58,458,624	71,418,974

\* Estimated.

No. 43.—Exports of Domestic Produce, per head of population.

State.	1861.	1871.	1881.	1891.	1901.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
New South Wales.....	14 4 0	18 3 1	14 1 11	18 9 2	14 10 3
Victoria .....	19 12 7	15 2 7	14 6 10	11 7 6	11 14 11
Queensland .....	22 7 9	20 0 2	15 12 11	20 2 5	17 17 3
South Australia.....	14 13 1	17 16 3	13 11 3	14 18 4	12 8 10
Western Australia .....	6 1 10	7 17 3	16 17 10	15 16 11	43 16 4
Tasmania .....	9 6 4	7 4 4	13 5 0	9 3 8	16 18 0
Commonwealth .....	16 10 8	16 2 1	14 4 11	15 6 1	15 8 9
New Zealand.....	14 19 9	20 1 4	11 13 9	14 18 5	16 5 9
Australasia.....	16 8 5	16 12 8	13 15 11	15 4 10	15 11 8

No. 44.—Excess of Export over Import of Wool—Value.

State.	1861.	1871.	1881.	1891.	1901.
	£	£	£	£	£
New South Wales	1,537,536	4,705,820	7,173,166	10,650,525	8,619,067
Victoria.....	2,001,681	4,483,461	2,562,769	3,792,938	2,510,219
Queensland .....	613,074	1,158,833	1,331,869	3,453,548	2,130,778
South Australia ...	572,720	1,113,825	1,573,313	1,540,079	1,021,283
Western Australia.	54,297	122,637	256,690	329,365	378,135
Tasmania .....	326,413	298,160	498,400	418,460	279,022
Commonwealth	5,105,721	11,882,736	13,396,207	20,184,915	14,938,504
New Zealand .....	523,728	1,606,144	2,914,046	4,129,686	3,669,642
Australasia ...	5,629,449	13,488,880	16,310,253	24,314,601	18,608,146

No. 45.—Production of Wool—Weight in grease.

State.	1861.	1871.	1881.	1891.	1901.
	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.
New South Wales..	19,254,800	74,401,300	161,022,906	321,416,000	301,942,000
Victoria .....	27,168,900	63,641,100	67,794,300	69,205,600	74,879,300
Queensland .....	12,356,100	36,553,200	34,275,300	83,118,100	70,141,800
South Australia ...	13,756,500	28,242,100	46,013,900	50,151,500	39,951,700
Western Australia.	820,500	1,888,000	4,654,600	9,501,700	14,049,000
Tasmania .....	5,129,100	6,687,800	10,525,100	10,102,900	8,939,000
Commonwealth	78,485,900	211,413,500	324,286,100	543,495,800	509,902,800
New Zealand .....	9,601,700	46,152,300	69,055,600	117,733,500	164,011,500
Australasia.....	88,087,600	257,605,800	393,341,700	661,229,300	673,914,300

## No. 46.—Seaward Trade of Commonwealth States, 1901, with Countries outside the Commonwealth.

State.	Imports.		Exports.		Total Trade.	
	Value.	Per Head.	Value.	Per Head.	Value.	Per Head.
	£	£ s. d.	£	£ s. d.	£	£ s. d.
New South Wales..	17,560,207	12 15 11	18,210,627	13 5 5	35,770,834	26 1 4
Victoria .....	12,686,880	10 10 10	13,075,259	10 17 4	25,762,139	21 8 2
Queensland .....	3,515,667	6 19 5	4,333,846	8 11 10	7,849,513	15 11 3
South Australia ...	3,964,744	10 18 5	4,461,969	12 5 9	8,426,713	23 4 2
Western Australia..	3,895,151	20 15 5	7,941,001	42 6 11	11,836,152	63 2 4
Tasmania .....	811,198	4 13 5	1,662,807	9 11 7	2,474,005	14 5 0
Total .....	42,433,847	11 3 1	49,685,509	13 1 3	92,119,356	24 4 4

## No. 47.—Live Stock—Sheep.

State.	1861.	1871.	1881.	1891.	1901.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
New South Wales	5,615,054	16,278,697	36,591,946	61,831,416	41,857,099
Victoria .....	6,239,258	10,002,381	10,267,265	12,928,148	*10,841,790
Queensland .....	4,093,381	7,403,334	8,292,883	20,289,633	10,030,971
South Australia ...	3,038,356	4,412,055	6,810,856	7,745,541	5,060,540
Western Australia	279,576	670,999	1,267,912	1,962,212	2,542,844
Tasmania .....	1,714,498	1,305,489	1,847,479	1,662,801	1,792,481
Commonwealth	20,980,123	40,072,955	65,078,341	106,419,751	72,125,725
New Zealand .....	2,761,583	9,700,629	12,985,085	18,128,186	20,233,099
Australasia.....	23,741,706	49,773,584	78,063,426	124,547,937	92,358,824

\* Census figures, 31st March, 1901.

## No. 48.—Live Stock—Horned Cattle.

State.	1861.	1871.	1881.	1891.	1901.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
New South Wales	2,271,923	2,014,888	2,597,348	2,046,347	2,047,454
Victoria .....	628,092	799,509	1,286,677	1,812,104	*1,602,384
Queensland .....	560,196	1,168,235	3,618,513	6,192,759	3,772,707
South Australia ...	265,434	143,463	314,918	676,933	479,863
Western Australia	33,795	49,593	63,009	133,690	394,580
Tasmania .....	87,114	101,540	130,526	167,666	168,661
Commonwealth	3,846,554	4,277,228	8,010,991	11,029,499	8,465,649
New Zealand .....	193,285	436,592	698,637	831,831	1,361,784
Australasia.....	4,039,839	4,713,820	8,709,628	11,861,330	9,827,433

\* Census figures, 31st March, 1901.

## No. 49.—Live Stock—Horses.

State.	1861.	1871.	1881.	1891.	1901.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
New South Wales	233,220	304,100	398,577	459,755	486,716
Victoria .....	84,057	181,643	278,195	440,696	*392,237
Queensland .....	28,983	91,910	194,217	399,364	462,119
South Australia ...	52,597	78,125	159,678	202,906	178,199
Western Australia	10,720	22,698	31,755	40,812	73,830
Tasmania .....	22,118	23,054	25,607	31,262	32,399
Commonwealth	431,695	701,530	1,088,029	1,574,795	1,625,560
New Zealand .....	28,275	81,028	161,736	211,040	279,672
Australasia.....	459,970	782,558	1,249,765	1,785,835	1,905,172

\* Census figures, 31st March, 1901.

## No. 50.—Butter, Cheese, and Swine Products, 1901.

State.	Dairy Cows.	Butter made.	Cheese made.	Swine.	Bacon and Hams cured.
	No.	lb.	lb.	No.	lb.
New South Wales...	417,835	38,930,878	3,838,835	265,730	11,071,891
Victoria .....	*521,612	46,857,572	3,974,669	350,370	16,111,616
Queensland.....	+136,000	9,741,882	2,436,912	121,641	7,064,714
South Australia.....	75,889	4,954,523	1,053,160	89,875	300,130
Western Australia..	+29,500	+431,670	.....	61,025	+552,139
Tasmania .....	40,333	723,771	268,539	58,716	530,015
Commonwealth	1,221,769	101,640,296	11,572,115	947,357	35,630,505
New Zealand.....	381,492	29,758,310	15,644,944	224,024	6,265,168
Australasia .....	1,603,261	131,398,606	27,217,059	1,171,381	41,895,673

\* Census figures, 31st March, 1901.

† Estimated.

## No. 51.—Mineral Production, 1901.

State.	Gold.	Silver and Silver-lead.	Copper.	Tin.	Coal.	Other Minerals.	Total.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
New South Wales ....	921,282	1,854,463	412,292	76,544	2,178,929	410,640	5,854,150
Victoria .....	3,102,753	.....	.....	4,181	147,191	58,037	3,312,162
Queensland .....	2,541,892	62,241	194,227	93,723	189,877	32,742	3,114,702
South Australia .....	93,222	12,067	500,077	5,584	.....	2,980	613,930
Western Australia .....	7,235,633	7,609	75,246	40,000	68,561	18,703	7,445,772
Tasmania .....	295,176	207,228	917,787	216,186	38,451	462	1,075,290
Commonwealth .....	14,189,978	2,143,608	2,099,629	436,218	2,623,009	523,564	22,016,006
New Zealand .....	1,753,753	63,258	105	.....	676,174	*460,681	2,956,001
Australasia .....	15,943,761	2,208,866	2,099,734	436,218	3,299,183	984,245	24,972,007

\* Inclusive of kauri gum of the value of £446,114.

No. 52.—Total Mineral Production to end of year 1901.

State.	Gold.	Silver and Silver- lead.	Copper.	Tin.	Coal.	Other Minerals.	Total.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
New South Wales ..	49,661,815	32,341,577	5,857,073	6,601,806	39,494,844	4,299,947	138,257,062
Victoria ..	260,489,201	856,539	206,395	715,493	1,042,353	346,031	263,656,022
Queensland ..	52,751,675	783,042	2,249,692	4,603,864	2,821,989	320,410	63,625,674
South Australia ..	2,388,197	118,630	22,822,046	32,689	.....	509,542	25,871,095
Western Australia ..	30,149,712	11,453	326,972	198,199	150,972	414,534	31,251,842
Tasmania ..	4,893,588	2,384,886	3,921,495	7,276,294	445,465	336,932	19,258,660
Commonwealth ..	400,334,188	36,501,127	35,388,673	19,518,343	43,955,628	6,227,396	541,920,355
New Zealand ..	53,159,883	380,806	18,088	.....	8,364,567	*11,030,547	78,953,891
Australasia ..	459,494,071	36,881,933	35,401,761	19,518,343	52,320,195	17,257,943	620,874,246

\* Inclusive of kauri gum of the value of £10,775,945.

No. 53.—Production of Gold.

State.	1861.	1871.	1881.	1891.	1901.
	oz.	oz.	oz.	oz.	oz.
New South Wales	465,685	323,609	151,512	153,583	267,061
Victoria ..	1,967,453	1,355,477	858,850	576,400	789,562
Queensland ..	1,077	171,937	270,945	576,439	835,553
South Australia ..	.....	.....	16,976	35,533	27,490
Western Australia ..	.....	.....	.....	30,311	1,879,391
Tasmania ..	320	6,005	56,693	39,203	75,831
Commonwealth ..	2,434,535	1,857,028	1,354,976	1,411,469	3,874,888
New Zealand ..	194,031	730,029	270,561	251,996	455,561
Australasia ..	2,628,566	2,587,057	1,625,537	1,663,465	4,330,449

No. 54.—Movements of Gold, 1901.

State.	Gold Coin and Bullion.		Excess of Exports.
	Imported.	Exported.	
	£	£	£
New South Wales ..	3,940,262	4,321,317	381,055
Victoria ..	1,193,707	4,298,618	3,104,911
Queensland ..	228,222	2,236,996	2,008,774
South Australia ..	125,520	153,806	33,286
Western Australia ..	.....	6,749,717	6,749,717
Tasmania ..	12,000	204,164	192,164
Commonwealth ..	5,499,711	17,969,618	12,469,907
New Zealand ..	437,322	1,761,463	1,324,141
Australasia ..	5,937,033	19,731,081	13,794,048

## No. 55.—Area under Crop.

State.	1861.	1871.	1881.	1891.	1900-1.	1901-2.
	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.
New South Wales	265,389	390,099	578,243	846,383	2,446,767	2,278,370
Victoria .....	410,406	851,354	1,435,446	2,116,654	3,114,132	2,965,681
Queensland .....	4,440	59,969	117,664	242,629	457,397	483,460
South Australia ...	400,717	837,730	2,156,407	1,927,689	2,369,680	2,236,552
Western Australia	24,705	51,724	53,353	64,209	201,946	216,824
Tasmania .....	163,385	155,046	148,494	168,121	224,352	232,550
Commonwealth	1,269,042	2,345,922	4,489,607	5,365,685	8,814,274	8,413,437
New Zealand .....	68,506	337,282	1,070,906	1,424,777	1,578,958	1,545,683
Australasia ...	1,337,548	2,683,204	5,560,513	6,790,462	10,393,232	9,959,120

NOTE.—Grass and fallow lands are not included.

## No. 56.—Area under principal Crops, 1901-1902.

State.	Wheat.	Maize.	Oats.	Other Grain Crops.	Hay.	Pota- toes.	Sugar- cane.	Vines	Other Crops.	Total.
	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.
New South Wales	1,392,070	167,733	32,245	11,974	442,163	26,158	20,809	8,606	176,612	2,278,370
Victoria .....	1,754,417	10,020	329,150	33,251	659,239	40,058	..	28,592	110,954	2,965,681
Queensland .....	87,232	116,983	1,535	12,226	63,055	9,948	112,031	1,990	78,460	483,460
South Australia ...	1,743,452	..	34,600	15,517	369,796	6,248	..	20,860	46,019	2,236,552
Western Australia	93,707	530	9,641	3,442	92,964	1,829	..	3,724	10,987	216,824
Tasmania .....	44,084	180	54,089	18,007	61,495	25,444	..	..	29,251	232,550
Commonwealth	5,114,962	295,446	461,320	94,417	1,688,712	109,685	132,840	63,772	452,283	8,413,437
New Zealand ....	163,462	12,503	405,924	27,604	62,984	31,259	..	543	841,404	1,545,683
Australasia ..	5,278,424	307,949	867,244	122,021	1,751,696	140,944	132,840	64,315	1,293,687	9,959,120

NOTE.—Grass and fallow lands are not included.

## No. 57.—Agricultural Production, 1901-1902.

State.	Wheat.	Maize.	Oats.	Other Grain Crops.	Hay.	Potatoes.	Sugar- cane.	Wine.
	bushels.	bushels.	bushels.	bushels.	tons.	tons.	tons.	gallons.
New South Wales	14,808,705	3,844,993	687,171	155,252	490,348	39,146	187,711	868,479
Victoria .....	12,127,382	615,472	6,724,906	708,269	884,369	125,474	..	1,981,475
Queensland .....	1,692,222	2,569,118	42,208	287,259	122,039	22,402	1,180,091	148,835
South Australia ...	8,012,762	..	469,254	243,362	346,467	15,059	..	2,077,923
Western Australia	933,101	5,611	158,638	35,841	91,517	5,665	..	*119,500
Tasmania .....	963,662	..	1,702,659	447,513	68,125	114,704	..	..
Commonwealth	38,537,894	7,035,194	9,784,838	1,877,496	2,002,865	322,450	1,367,802	5,196,212
New Zealand ....	4,046,589	571,834	15,045,233	883,243	91,476	206,815	..	..
Australasia ..	42,584,423	7,607,028	24,830,071	2,760,739	2,097,341	529,265	1,367,802	5,196,212

\* Estimated.



## No. 58.—Railways (Government and Private)—Mileage open for traffic.

State.	1861.	1871.	1881.	1891-2.	1901-2.
	miles.	miles.	miles.	miles.	miles.
New South Wales .....	73	358	1,040	2,266	3,107
Victoria .....	114	276	1,247	2,903	3,302
Queensland .....	.....	218	800	2,320	2,903
*South Australia .....	56	133	845	1,823	1,901
Western Australia .....	.....	.....	92	657	1,999
Tasmania .....	.....	45	163	425	618
Commonwealth.....	243	1,030	4,192	10,394	13,821
New Zealand.....	.....	105	1,334	2,011	2,323
Australasia.....	243	1,135	5,526	12,405	16,144

NOTE.—Private lines included. \* Including Northern Territory.

## No. 59.—Government Railways, 1901-1902.

State.	Gauge.	Gross Earnings.	Working Expenses.	Net Earnings.	Per Train Mile.			Cost of Construction and Equipment of Lines open for Traffic.	Interest returned on Capital.
					Gross Earnings.	Working Expenses.	Net Earnings.		
	ft. in.	£	£	£	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	£	per cent.
New South Wales..	4 8½	3,663,686	2,267,309	1,401,317	6 3-58	3 10-69	2 4-89	40,565,073	3-45
Victoria .....	5 3	3,367,843	2,166,118	1,201,725	5 11-63	3 10-07	2 1-56	40,613,784	2-16
Queensland.....	3 6	1,382,179	992,751	389,428	4 10-54	3 6-05	1 4-49	20,119,143	1-93
South Australia..	5 3	1,035,175	689,517	395,658	5 2-06	3 3-43	1 10-63	13,275,037	2-98
Northern Territory	3 6	12,522	34,649	(-)22,127	8 3-26	22 10-65	(-)14 7-39	1,160,757	Nil.
Western Australia	3 6	1,521,429	1,256,370	265,059	6 9-00	5 6-89	1 2-11	*7,446,554	3-14
Tasmania .....	3 6	205,791	173,400	32,391	4 7-14	3 10-46	0 8-68	3,799,098	0-85
Commonwealth	..	11,243,625	7,580,174	3,663,451	5 10-59	3 11-59	1 11-00	127,009,446	2-88
New Zealand.....	3 6	1,874,536	1,252,237	622,349	7 4-80	4 11-30	2 5-50	18,170,722	3-43
Australasia ..	..	13,118,211	8,832,411	4,285,800	6 0-72	4 0-00	1 11-76	145,180,168	2-15

NOTE.—(—) minus represents loss. \* Estimated.

## No. 60.—Government Railways—Net Earnings.

State.	1861.	1871.	1881.	1891-2.	1901-2.
	£	£	£	£	£
New South Wales..	13,817	158,257	705,892	1,193,044	1,401,317
Victoria .....	.....	357,828	732,223	956,983	1,201,725
Queensland .....	*	21,660	114,638	413,034	389,428
†South Australia..	11,186	22,834	128,653	563,905	373,531
Western Australia	*	*	(-)2,907	3,876	265,059
Tasmania.....	*	591	6,721	21,106	32,391
Commonwealth..	.....	.....	1,685,220	3,151,948	3,663,451
New Zealand .....	.....	.....	368,927	408,915	622,349
Australasia ..	.....	.. .....	2,054,147	3,560,863	4,285,800

NOTE.—(—) minus represents loss. \* Railways not in existence. † Including Northern Territory.

## No. 61.—Length of Telegraph Lines.

State.	1861.	1871.	1881.	1891.	1901.
	miles.	miles.	miles.	miles.	miles.
New South Wales..	1,616	*4,674	8,515	11,697	14,272
Victoria.....	...	*2,295	3,350	6,840	6,467
Queensland .....	169	2,525	6,280	9,996	10,246
South Australia ...	597	1,183	4,946	5,640	5,763
Western Australia	.....	*550	1,585	2,921	6,173
Tasmania.....	.....	*291	928	2,082	2,187
Commonwealth..	.....	11,518	25,604	39,176	45,108
New Zealand .....	.....	2,015	3,824	5,349	7,469
Australasia .....	.....	13,533	29,428	44,525	52,577

NOTE.—Submarine cables are not included.

\* In 1873.

## No. 62.—Transmission of Letters and Post-cards.

State.	1861.	1871.	1881.	1891.	1901.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
New South Wales..	4,369,463	7,509,500	26,355,600	64,153,600	82,783,467
Victoria.....	6,109,929	11,716,166	26,308,347	+62,526,448	83,065,029
Queensland .....	515,211	1,792,644	5,178,547	15,345,842	23,269,126
South Australia...	1,540,472	3,162,774	10,758,605	17,836,092	21,818,724
Western Australia	193,317	*668,957	995,188	3,192,992	17,450,878
Tasmania .....	835,873	1,189,994	2,682,329	5,852,381	11,173,493
Commonwealth..	13,564,265	26,040,035	72,278,616	168,907,355	239,560,717
Commonwealth (Inter-State excess excluded)	12,844,300	24,382,300	67,640,800	157,297,800	220,593,000
New Zealand .....	1,236,768	6,081,607	13,215,235	26,537,545	54,089,937
Australasia .....	14,801,033	32,121,642	85,493,851	195,444,900	293,650,654
Australasia (Intercolonial excess excluded) .....	14,061,000	30,435,300	80,791,700	183,694,900	273,582,000

\* In 1872.

† In 1890.

## No. 63.—Transmission of Letters and Post-cards, per head of population.

State.	1861.	1871.	1881.	1891.	1901.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
New South Wales.....	12·37	14·78	34·45	56·16	60·33
Victoria .....	11·32	15·90	30·24	+54·60	69·04
Queensland.....	16·51	14·89	22·86	38·70	46·13
South Australia.....	12·28	17·12	38·85	55·48	60·09
Western Australia .....	12·40	*26·68	33·72	64·14	93·06
Tasmania .....	9·29	11·75	23·04	39·29	64·36
Commonwealth .....	11·75	15·53	31·64	52·70	62·98
Commonwealth (Inter-State excess excluded).....	11·13	14·54	29·61	49·07	57·99
New Zealand .....	13·84	23·60	26·83	42·12	69·42
Australasia .....	11·90	16·61	30·79	50·96	64·07
Australasia (Intercolonial excess excluded) .....	11·31	15·73	29·09	47·90	59·69

\* In 1872.

† In 1890.

## No. 64.—Transmission of Newspapers by post.

State.	1861.	1871.	1881.	1891.	1901.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
New South Wales	3,384,245	3,992,100	16,527,900	42,517,300	52,317,650
Victoria	4,277,179	5,172,970	11,440,732	†22,729,005	27,125,251
Queensland	427,489	1,307,305	4,530,263	11,896,148	12,804,902
South Australia	1,089,424	2,212,620	5,927,332	8,883,103	9,921,641
Western Australia	137,476	*352,608	715,046	1,665,862	7,975,208
Tasmania	895,656	1,136,338	2,345,700	5,376,142	7,440,146
Commonwealth	10,211,469	14,173,941	41,486,973	93,067,560	117,584,798
Commonwealth (Inter-State excess excluded)	9,603,000	13,336,200	38,063,800	85,280,200	103,000,000
New Zealand	1,428,351	4,179,784	6,124,021	11,312,200	18,973,632
Australasia	11,639,820	18,353,725	47,610,994	104,379,760	136,558,430
Australasia (Intercolonial excess excluded)	10,941,400	17,252,700	43,802,000	95,879,760	121,000,000

\* In 1872.

† In 1890.

## No. 65.—Transmission of Newspapers, per head of population.

State.	1861.	1871.	1881.	1891.	1901.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
New South Wales	9·58	7·86	21·60	37·22	38·13
Victoria	7·92	7·02	13·15	†19·85	22·54
Queensland	13·70	10·86	20·00	30·00	25·38
South Australia	8·68	11·98	21·40	27·63	27·32
Western Australia	8·82	*14·07	24·23	33·46	42·53
Tasmania	9·95	11·22	20·15	36·09	42·85
Commonwealth	8·85	8·45	18·16	29·04	30·91
Commonwealth (Inter-State excess excluded)	8·32	7·95	16·66	26·61	27·07
New Zealand	15·98	16·22	12·44	17·95	24·35
Australasia	9·36	9·49	17·15	27·22	29·79
Australasia (Intercolonial excess excluded)	8·80	8·92	15·77	25·00	26·40

\* In 1872.

† In 1890.

## No. 66.—Public Estate at close of 1901.

State.	Area of State.		Area Alienated or in process of Alienation.	Area Leased.	Area neither Alienated nor Leased.
	In square miles.	In acres.			
	sq. miles.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.
New South Wales	310,700	198,848,000	48,003,857	126,938,678	23,905,465
Victoria	87,884	56,245,760	23,770,519	17,161,359	15,313,882
Queensland	668,497	427,838,080	16,325,132	279,986,645	131,526,303
South Australia	380,070	243,244,800	13,706,763	79,975,433	149,562,604
Northern Territory	523,620	335,116,800	474,345	111,576,741	223,065,714
Western Australia	975,920	624,588,800	6,816,334	97,455,927	520,316,539
Tasmania	26,215	16,778,000	4,893,961	1,470,621	10,413,418
Commonwealth	2,972,906	1,902,660,240	113,990,911	714,565,404	1,074,103,925
New Zealand	104,471	66,861,440	23,969,677	15,916,779	*26,974,984
Australasia	3,077,377	1,969,521,680	137,950,588	730,482,183	1,101,078,909

\* Including 9,000,000 acres native lands.

## No. 67.—State Schools, 1901.

State.	Schools.	Teachers.	Net Enrolment of Scholars.	Average Attendance.
	No.	No.	No.	No.
New South Wales .....	2,818	5,212	212,725	153,747
Victoria .....	1,975	4,977	215,112	149,833
Queensland .....	972	2,310	89,510	70,432
South Australia .....	708	1,333	63,256	43,831
Western Australia .....	242	625	20,548	16,423
Tasmania .....	338	660	19,236	14,259
Commonwealth .....	7,053	15,117	620,337	448,525
New Zealand .....	1,710	3,623	132,869	111,797
Australasia .....	8,763	18,740	753,256	560,322

## No. 68.—Savings Banks, 1901-1902.

State.	Number of Depositors in—			Amount of Deposits in—			Average Amount of Deposits.
	Post Office Savings Banks.	Other Savings Banks.	Total.	Post Office Savings Banks.	Other Savings Banks.	Total.	
	No.	No.	No.	£	£	£	£ s. d.
New South Wales ..	216,947	89,364	306,311	6,647,239	5,161,421	11,808,710	38 11 2
Victoria .....	410,123	410,126	820,249	10,131,604	10,131,604	20,263,208	24 14 8
Queensland .....	81,685	84,685	166,370	4,118,337	4,118,337	8,236,674	48 12 7
South Australia .....	116,436	116,436	232,872	3,974,709	3,974,709	7,949,418	34 2 8
Western Australia ..	45,110	45,110	90,220	1,841,022	1,841,022	3,682,044	40 16 3
Tasmania .....	14,831	29,616	44,527	333,576	650,600	983,576	22 1 9
Commonwealth .....	276,933	730,257	1,007,195	8,821,887	24,036,071	32,857,958	32 12 5
New Zealand .....	212,436	32,588	245,024	6,359,013	918,900	7,268,103	29 13 3
Australasia .....	489,374	762,845	1,252,219	15,171,900	24,954,161	40,126,061	32 0 11

## No. 69.—Depositors in Savings Banks.

State.	1871	1881	1891	1900-1.	1901 2.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
New South Wales .....	24,379	72,384	158,426	282,643	306,311
Victoria .....	45,819	101,829	300,781	393,026	410,126
Queensland .....	6,769	20,168	46,259	81,025	84,685
South Australia .....	14,270	37,742	78,795	111,537	116,436
Western Australia .....	1,062	3,219	3,564	39,339	45,110
Tasmania .....	8,500	14,728	26,916	42,509	44,527
Commonwealth .....	100,799	250,070	614,741	950,079	1,007,195
New Zealand .....	11,275	61,054	126,886	228,883	245,024
Australasia .....	115,074	311,124	741,627	1,178,962	1,252,219

## No. 70.—Deposits in Savings Banks.

State.	1871.	1881.	1891.	1900-1.	1902.
	£	£	£	£	£
New South Wales .....	945,915	2,698,703	5,342,135	10,901,382	11,808,710
Victoria .....	1,117,761	2,569,438	5,715,687	9,662,007	10,131,604
Queensland .....	407,134	944,251	1,660,753	3,896,170	4,118,337
South Australia .....	517,000	1,288,450	2,217,419	3,782,575	3,974,709
Western Australia .....	15,583	23,344	46,181	1,618,359	1,841,022
Tasmania .....	217,413	369,278	554,417	1,009,098	983,576
Commonwealth .....	3,220,806	7,893,464	15,536,592	30,869,591	32,857,958
New Zealand.....	454,966	1,549,515	3,406,949	6,665,344	7,268,103
Australasia .....	3,675,772	9,442,979	18,943,541	37,534,935	40,126,061

## No. 71.—Liabilities of Banks of Issue, June Quarter, 1902.

State.	Notes in Circulation.	Bills in Circulation.	Balances due to other Banks.	Deposits.			Total Liabilities.
				Not bearing Interest.	Bearing Interest.	Total.	
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
New South Wales .....	1,450,640	211,695	143,316	13,561,909	20,820,620	34,382,529	36,188,180
Victoria .....	915,426	120,295	142,398	12,012,338	18,827,106	30,839,444	32,017,563
Queensland .....	115,575	125,575	385,588*	4,766,118	8,707,620	13,473,738	13,974,851
South Australia.....	382,387	10,059	51,736	2,418,090	3,794,867	6,212,957	6,657,139
Western Australia.....	391,886	41,420	58,268	3,158,675	1,583,904	4,742,579	5,234,153
Tasmania .....	164,796	19,461	....	1,503,039	1,959,947	3,462,986	3,647,243
Commonwealth .....	3,305,135	518,505	781,256	37,420,169	55,694,064	93,114,233	97,719,129
New Zealand .....	1,403,436	54,695	43,867	7,763,718	9,427,782	17,191,500	18,693,498
Australasia ....	4,708,571	573,200	825,123	45,183,887	65,121,846	110,305,733	116,412,627

\* Inclusive of £322,000 due to Treasury on account of notes.

## No. 72.—Assets of Banks of Issue, June Quarter, 1902.

State.	Coin.	Bullion.	Landed Property.	Notes and Bills of other Banks.	Balances due from other Banks.	All other Debts due to the Banks.	Total Assets.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
New South Wales .....	6,915,265	136,079	1,784,498	238,954	341,910	34,195,271	43,611,977
Victoria .....	6,301,624	409,264	2,028,558	283,162	168,128	30,446,032	39,636,768
Queensland .....	1,978,891	281,401	733,750	*727,870	178,230	12,975,645	16,875,787
South Australia .....	1,591,499	23,597	457,131	39,220	58,210	4,434,031	6,603,638
Western Australia .....	2,376,844	479,962	214,251	54,827	57,042	3,276,409	6,459,335
Tasmania .....	589,790	....	119,090	....	349,014	2,397,290	3,446,184
Commonwealth .....	19,744,913	1,330,303	5,337,278	1,344,033	1,152,534	87,724,678	116,633,739
New Zealand .....	2,986,222	174,489	422,590	71,676	26,308	15,394,377	19,075,662
Australasia ...	22,731,135	1,504,792	5,759,868	1,415,709	1,178,842	103,119,055	135,709,401

\* Including Treasury Notes, £687,731.

## No. 73.—Public Revenue.

State.	1861.	1871.	1881.	1890-1.	1900-1.	1901-2.
	£	£	£	£	£	£
New South Wales...	1,391,043	2,177,785	6,551,134	9,772,325	10,805,543	11,178,214
Victoria .....	2,952,101	3,734,422	5,186,011	8,343,588	7,728,155	7,006,333
Queensland .....	238,238	799,005	1,971,208	3,350,223	4,096,290	3,535,062
South Australia.....	558,587	778,094	2,171,983	2,732,222	2,886,854	2,477,432
Western Australia..	67,261	105,300	206,205	497,670	2,964,121	3,354,123
Tasmania .....	256,958	271,928	505,006	758,100	1,054,980	826,163
Commonwealth	5,464,188	7,866,534	16,591,547	25,454,128	29,535,943	28,377,327
New Zealand.....	691,464	1,342,116	3,757,493	4,193,942	5,906,916	6,152,839
Australasia.....	6,155,652	9,208,650	20,349,040	29,648,070	35,442,859	34,530,166

## No. 74.—Public Revenue, per head of population.

State.	1861.	1871.	1881.	1890-1.	1900-1.	1901-2.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
New South Wales...	3 18 9	4 5 8	8 11 3	8 11 1	7 18 4	8 2 0
Victoria .....	5 9 4	5 1 4	5 19 3	7 5 9	6 9 1	5 15 11
Queensland .....	7 12 8	6 12 9	8 14 1	8 9 0	8 4 5	6 18 6
South Australia ...	4 9 0	4 4 3	7 16 10	8 9 6	7 19 9	6 15 10
Western Australia..	4 6 3	4 4 0	6 19 9	9 19 11	16 9 1	17 4 2
Tasmania.....	2 17 1	2 13 8	4 6 9	5 1 10	5 18 8	4 15 2
Commonwealth	4 14 8	4 13 10	7 5 3	7 18 10	7 16 6	7 8 1
New Zealand.....	7 14 9	5 4 2	7 12 7	6 13 2	7 14 9	7 16 3
Australasia ...	4 19 0	4 15 3	7 6 7	7 14 7	7 16 0	7 9 6

## No. 75.—Sources of Public Revenue, 1901-2.

State.	Taxation.		Railways and Tramways.	Posts and Telegraphs.	Public Lands	Surplus Commonwealth Revenue returned to State.	All other Sources.	Total Revenue.
	Import and Excise Duties.	Other.						
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
New South Wales..	1,148,942	4,390,951	.....	.....	2,053,126	2,385,905	1,199,290	11,178,214
Victoria .....	716,446	3,362,044	.....	.....	354,195	1,920,974	652,674	7,006,333
Queensland .....	276,770	1,316,829	.....	.....	580,633	904,775	456,055	3,535,062
South Australia .....	268,291	1,094,408	.....	.....	148,420	602,239	317,202	2,428,560
Northern Territory .....	1,499	12,738	.....	.....	8,493	21,343	4,799	45,572
Western Australia..	173,582	1,488,574	.....	.....	188,489	1,225,076	278,402	3,354,123
Tasmania .....	111,515	206,997	*20,399	.....	73,970	377,782	35,500	826,163
Commonwealth .....	2,695,045	11,872,541	*20,399	.....	3,407,326	7,438,094	2,943,922	28,377,327
New Zealand .....	2,291,340	821,730	1,869,489	488,573	240,619	.....	432,079	6,152,839
Australasia ....	2,291,340	3,516,775	13,742,030	508,972	3,656,945	7,438,094	3,376,001	34,530,166

\* Two months only.

Year ends 30th June for all States except Tasmania (31st December) and New Zealand (31st March).

The aggregate return of surplus Commonwealth revenue to South Australia and the Northern Territory, according to State returns is shown as £623,582, while the Commonwealth returns show it as £616,148.

## No. 76.—Public Revenue, 1901–1902, per head of population.

State.	Taxation.		Railways and Tramways.	Posts and Telegraphs.	Public Lands.	Surplus Commonwealth Revenue returned to State.	All other Sources.	Total Revenue.
	Import and Excise Duties.	Other.						
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
New South Wales	0 16 8	3 3 8	....	1 9 9	1 14 7	0 17 4	8 2 0	
Victoria	0 11 10	2 15 8	....	0 5 10	1 11 9	0 10 10	5 15 11	
Queensland	0 10 10	2 11 7	....	1 2 9	1 15 5	0 17 11	6 18 6	
South Australia	0 14 10	3 0 9	....	0 8 3	1 13 5	0 17 8	6 14 11	
Northern Territory	0 6 6	2 15 7	....	1 17 1	4 13 1	1 0 11	10 13 2	
Western Australia	0 17 10	7 12 9	....	0 19 4	6 5 9	1 8 6	17 4 2	
Tasmania	0 12 10	1 3 10	0 2 4*	0 8 6	2 3 7	0 4 1	4 15 2	
Commonwealth	....	0 14 1	3 2 0	0 0 1*	0 17 9	1 18 10	0 15 4	7 8 1
New Zealand	2 18 2	1 0 10	2 7 6	0 12 5	0 6 4	....	0 11 0	7 16 3
Australasia	0 9 11	0 15 3	2 19 6	0 2 2	0 15 10	1 12 3	0 14 7	7 9 6

\* Two months only.

## No. 77.—Revenue collected within each State by the Commonwealth Government for year ended 30th June, 1902.

State.	Customs and Excise.	Post and Telegraphs.	Defence.	Miscellaneous.	Balance brought forward from previous year.	Balance carried forward to next year.	Total.	Balance returned to State Government.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
New South Wales	2,812,722	870,244	1,141	7,333	Cr. 4,300	Dr. 3,240	3,698,980	2,285,905
Victoria	2,376,488	588,278	6,408	1,111	....	....	2,972,280	1,920,974
Queensland	1,297,664	312,882	277	771	....	....	1,611,594	904,775
South Australia	698,696	276,191	1,369	725	....	....	976,981	616,148
Western Australia	1,335,613	225,748	30	180	Cr. 4,070	....	1,565,641	1,225,076
Tasmania	373,141	91,530	205	10,160	....	Dr. 1,768	476,804	315,540
Commonwealth	8,894,319	2,364,873	9,430	20,280	8,370	5,008	11,302,280	7,368,418

\* Includes £201,569 estimated receipts under the Special Western Australian Tariff.

† Includes an amount of £10,000, being repayment of an advance to the Post Office for Money Order purposes in the half-year ended 30th June, 1901.

## No. 78.—Revenue collected within each State by the Commonwealth Government for year ended 30th June, 1902, per head of population.

State.	Customs and Excise.	Post and Telegraphs.	Defence.	Miscellaneous.	Balance brought forward from previous year.	Balance carried forward to next year.	Total.	Balance returned to State Government.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
New South Wales	2 0 9	0 12 7	....	0 0 1	0 0 1	0 0 1	2 13 7	1 14 7
Victoria	1 19 4	0 9 9	0 0 1	....	....	....	2 9 2	1 11 9
Queensland	2 10 10	0 12 3	....	....	....	....	3 3 1	1 15 5
South Australia	1 18 4	0 15 2	0 0 1	....	....	....	2 13 7	1 13 9
Western Australia	6 17 1	1 3 2	....	....	0 0 5	....	8 0 8	6 5 9
Tasmania	2 2 10	0 10 6	....	0 1 2	....	0 0 3	2 14 9	1 16 3
Commonwealth	2 6 5	0 12 4	0 0 1	0 0 1	0 0 1	....	2 19 0	1 18 5

No. 79.—Revenue collected within each State by the Commonwealth and State Governments for year ended 30th June, 1902.

State.	Taxation.		Railways and Tramways.	Posts and Telegraphs.	Public Lands.	Defence.	All other Sources.	Total Revenue.
	Import and Excise Duties.	Other.						
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
New South Wales ..	2,812,722	1,148,942	4,390,951	870,244	2,053,126	1,141	1,214,163	12,491,289
Victoria .....	2,376,483	716,446	3,362,044	583,278	354,195	6,408	653,785	8,057,639
Queensland .....	1,297,664	276,770	1,316,829	312,882	580,633	277	456,826	4,241,881
South Australia ..	698,696	267,790	1,107,146	276,191	156,913	1,369	322,726	2,830,831
Western Australia ..	1,335,613	173,582	1,488,574	225,748	188,489	30	282,652	3,694,688
Tasmania* .....	373,141	111,515	206,997	111,929	73,970	205	47,428	925,185
Commonwealth ..	3,894,319	2,635,045	11,572,541	2,385,272	3,407,326	9,430	2,977,580	32,241,513

\* The State collections are for the year ended 31st December, 1901.

No. 80.—Revenue collected within each State by the Commonwealth and State Governments for year ended 30th June, 1902, per head of population.

State.	Taxation.		Railways and Tramways.	Posts and Telegraphs.	Public Lands.	Defence.	All other Sources.	Total Revenue.
	Import and Excise Duties.	Other.						
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
New South Wales ..	2 0 9	0 16 8	3 3 8	0 12 7	1 9 9	....	0 17 7	9 1 0
Victoria .....	1 19 4	0 11 10	2 15 8	0 9 9	0 5 10	0 0 1	0 10 10	6 13 4
Queensland .....	2 10 10	0 10 10	2 11 7	0 12 3	1 2 9	....	0 17 11	8 6 2
South Australia ..	1 18 4	0 14 8	3 0 9	0 15 2	0 8 7	0 0 1	0 17 8	7 15 3
Western Australia ..	6 17 1	0 17 10	7 12 9	1 3 2	0 19 4	....	1 9 0	18 19 2
Tasmania .....	2 2 10	0 12 10	1 3 9	0 12 10	0 8 6	....	0 5 5	5 6 2
Commonwealth ..	2 6 5	0 14 1	3 1 11	0 12 5	0 17 9	0 0 1	0 15 7	8 8 3

No. 81.—Net Revenue from Intoxicants and Narcotics, Other Goods, and Excise, 1901.

State.	Intoxicants and Narcotics.	Other Goods.	Excise.	Total.
	£	£	£	£
New South Wales .....	1,353,746	517,502	402,918	2,274,166
Victoria .....	979,131	1,254,251	439,269	2,672,651
Queensland .....	565,299	679,412	142,859	1,387,570
South Australia .....	203,120	417,094	47,071	667,285
Western Australia .....	448,964	605,030	39,676	1,093,670
Tasmania .....	137,477	257,282	22,488	417,247
Commonwealth .. .....	3,687,737	3,730,571	1,094,281	8,512,589
New Zealand .....	926,653	1,265,145	94,153	2,285,951
Australasia .....	4,614,390	4,995,716	1,188,434	10,798,540



No. 82.—Net Revenue from Customs and Excise, for the calendar years 1900 and 1901, as per Departmental returns.

State.	1900.			1901.		
	Customs.	Excise.	Total.	Customs.	Excise.	Total.
	£	£	£	£	£	£
New South Wales....	1,421,763	355,918	1,777,681	1,871,248	402,912	2,274,166
Victoria .....	1,980,379	340,678	2,321,057	2,233,382	439,269	2,672,651
Queensland .....	1,424,279	140,693	1,564,972	1,244,711	142,859	1,387,570
South Australia .....	609,754	40,176	709,930	620,214	47,071	667,285
Western Australia .....	944,746	31,664	976,410	1,053,994	59,676	1,093,670
Tasmania .....	464,425	24,698	489,123	394,759	22,488	417,247
Commonwealth...	6,905,346	933,827	7,839,173	7,418,303	1,094,281	8,512,589
New Zealand.....	2,170,354	89,284	2,259,638	2,191,798	94,153	2,285,951
Australasia ....	9,075,700	1,023,111	10,098,811	9,610,106	1,188,434	10,798,540

NOTE.—The net revenue means the actual sum collected, less drawbacks and refunds, and does not include Miscellaneous Receipts.

No. 83.—Public Expenditure (exclusive of Loan Expenditure).

State.	1861.	1871.	1881.	1890-1.	1900-1.	1901-2.
	£	£	£	£	£	£
New South Wales ..	1,509,217	2,228,887	5,625,749	10,214,813	10,922,862	11,190,963
Victoria .....	3,092,021	3,659,534	5,108,642	9,128,699	7,627,366	7,407,781
Queensland .....	255,180	787,555	1,782,272	3,684,655	4,632,090	3,967,001
South Australia .....	482,951	759,478	2,054,284	2,603,498	3,007,034	2,823,578
Western Australia ..	81,087	107,148	107,386	435,623	3,051,331	3,151,427
Tasmania .....	324,447	287,262	463,634	722,746	923,731	870,442
Commonwealth...	5,744,903	7,829,864	15,232,017	26,790,034	30,164,414	29,411,192
New Zealand.....	*.....	†931,768	3,675,794	4,081,566	5,479,704	5,914,915
Australasia ....	.....	8,761,632	18,907,811	30,871,600	35,644,118	35,326,107

\* Information not available.

† Provincial expenditure.

No. 84.—Public Expenditure per head of population.

State.	1861.	1871.	1881.	1890-1.	1900-1.	1901-2.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
New South Wales ..	4 5 5	4 7 9	7 7 1	8 18 10	8 0 1	8 2 3
Victoria .....	5 14 7	4 19 4	5 17 5	7 19 5	6 7 5	6 2 7
Queensland .....	8 3 6	6 10 10	7 17 4	9 5 10	9 5 11	7 15 5
South Australia .....	3 17 0	4 2 3	7 8 4	8 1 6	8 6 5	7 14 10
Western Australia ..	5 4 11	4 5 0	6 13 9	8 15 0	16 18 9	16 3 5
Tasmania .....	3 12 0	2 16 9	3 19 8	4 17 1	5 3 11	5 0 3
Commonwealth...	4 19 7	4 13 5	6 13 4	8 7 2	7 19 10	7 13 6
New Zealand.....	*.....	†3 12 4	7 9 3	6 9 7	7 3 6	7 10 2
Australasia ....	.....	4 10 7	6 16 2	* 8 1 0	7 16 10	7 12 11

\* Information not available.

† Provincial expenditure.

## No. 85.—Distribution of Public Expenditure, 1901–1902.

State.	Railways and Tramways, Working Expenses.	Posts and Telegraphs.	Public Instruction.	Interest and Charges on Debt, including Sinking Funds.	All other Services.	Total Expenditure.
	£	£	£	£	£	£
New South Wales ..	2,806,161	.....	852,200	*2,773,298	4,759,304	11,190,963
Victoria .....	2,030,493	.....	647,806	2,043,815	2,685,667	7,407,781
Queensland .....	990,751	.....	287,375	1,480,376	1,208,469	3,967,001
South Australia ..	702,219	.....	159,024	975,567	814,066	2,650,876
Northern Territory ..	28,853	.....	375	80,377	63,097	172,702
Western Australia ..	1,269,619	.....	102,359	602,138	1,177,311	3,151,427
Tasmania .....	173,422	†7,568	57,106	327,822	304,524	870,442
Commonwealth ..	8,001,518	†7,568	2,106,245	8,283,303	11,012,468	29,411,192
New Zealand .....	1,280,997	463,317	539,317	1,822,939	1,807,845	5,914,915
Australasia ....	9,282,515	471,385	2,645,562	10,108,332	12,820,313	35,326,107

Year ends 30th June for all States except Tasmania (31st December) and New Zealand (31st March).

\* Inclusive of £150,000 paid for redemption of Treasury Bills.

† Two months only.

## No. 86.—Public Expenditure, 1901–1902, per head of population.

State.	Railways and Tramways, Working Expenses.	Posts and Telegraphs.	Public Instruction.	Interest and Charges on Debt, including Sinking Funds.	All other Services.	Total Expenditure.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
New South Wales ..	2 0 8	.....	0 12 4	2 0 3	3 9 0	8 2 3
Victoria .....	1 13 7	.....	0 10 9	1 13 10	2 4 5	6 2 7
Queensland .....	1 18 10	.....	0 11 3	2 18 0	2 7 4	7 15 5
South Australia ..	1 19 0	.....	0 8 10	2 14 2	2 5 2	7 7 2
Northern Territory ..	6 5 10	.....	0 1 8	17 10 7	13 15 3	37 13 4
Western Australia ..	6 10 3	.....	0 10 6	3 1 10	6 0 10	16 3 5
Tasmania .....	1 0 0	*0 0 10	0 6 7	1 17 9	1 15 1	5 0 3
Commonwealth ..	2 1 9	.....	0 11 0	2 3 3	2 17 6	7 13 6
New Zealand .....	1 12 6	0 11 9	0 13 8	2 6 4	2 5 11	7 10 2
Australasia .....	2 0 2	0 2 1	0 11 5	2 3 9	2 15 6	7 12 11

\* Two months only.

## No. 87.—Expenditure by Commonwealth Government for year ended 30th June, 1902.

State.	Customs and Excise.	Posts and Telegraphs.	Defence.	Miscellaneous.	Balance brought forward from previous year.	Balance carried forward to next year.	Balance returned to State Government.	Total.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
New South Wales ..	63,445	827,544	309,137	112,949	.....	.....	2,385,905	3,698,980
Victoria .....	63,279	569,314	317,102	99,227	Dr. 956	Cr. 1,428	1,920,974	2,972,280
Queensland .....	64,040	414,619	186,062	41,497	Dr. 594	Cr. 7	904,775	1,611,594
South Australia ..	26,779	242,936	58,694	29,952	Dr. 568	Cr. 1,904	616,148	976,981
Western Australia ..	31,828	256,115	35,303	16,001	.....	Cr. 1,318	1,225,076	1,565,641
Tasmania .....	10,213	107,333*	29,118	14,321	Dr. 279	.....	315,540	476,804
Commonwealth ..	259,584	2,417,861	935,416	313,947	Dr. 2,397	Cr. 4,657	7,363,418	11,302,280

No. 88.—Expenditure by Commonwealth Government for year ended 30th June, 1902, per head of population.

State.	Customs and Excise.	Post and Telegraphs.	Defence.	Miscellaneous.	Balance brought forward from previous year.	Balance carried forward to next year.	Balance returned to State Government.	Total.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
New South Wales...	0 0 11	0 12 0	0 4 6	0 1 7	....	....	1 14 7	2 13 7
Victoria .....	0 1 1	0 9 5	0 5 3	0 1 8	....	....	1 11 9	2 9 2
Queensland .....	0 2 6	0 16 3	0 7 3	0 1 8	....	....	1 15 5	3 3 1
South Australia...	0 1 6	0 13 4	0 3 3	0 1 8	....	0 0 1	1 13 9	2 13 7
Western Australia..	0 3 3	1 6 3	0 3 7	0 1 8	....	0 0 2	6 5 9	8 0 8
Tasmania .....	0 1 2	0 12 4	0 3 4	0 1 8	....	....	1 16 3	2 14 9
Commonwealth	0 1 4	0 12 8	0 4 11	0 1 8	....	....	1 18 5	2 19 0

No. 89.—Expenditure by Commonwealth and State Governments within each State for year ended 30th June, 1902.

State.	Railways and Tramways, Working Expenses.	Customs and Excise.	Posts and Telegraphs.	Public Instruction.	Defence.	Interest and Charges on Debt, including Sinking Fund.	All other Services.	Total Expenditure.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
New South Wales...	2,806,161	63,445	827,544	852,200	309,137	2,773,298	4,872,253	12,504,038
Victoria .....	2,030,493	63,279	569,314	647,806	317,102	2,043,815	2,787,278	8,459,087
Queensland .....	990,751	64,040	414,619	287,375	186,062	1,480,376	1,250,597	4,673,820
South Australia...	731,072	26,779	242,936	159,399	58,694	1,055,944	909,587	3,184,411
Western Australia..	1,269,619	31,828	256,115	102,359	35,303	602,138	1,194,630	3,491,992
Tasmania* .....	173,422	10,213	114,901	57,106	29,118	327,822	319,124	1,031,706
Commonwealth	8,001,518	259,584	2,425,420	2,106,245	935,416	8,283,393	11,333,469	33,345,054

\* The State expenditure is for the year ended 31st December, 1901.

No. 90.—Expenditure by Commonwealth and State Governments within each State for year ended 30th June, 1902, per head of population.

State.	Railways and Tramways, Working Expenses.	Customs and Excise.	Posts and Telegraphs.	Public Instruction.	Defence.	Interest and Charges on Debt, including Sinking Funds.	All other Services.	Total Expenditure.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
New South Wales...	2 0 8	0 0 11	0 12 0	0 12 4	0 4 6	2 0 3	3 10 7	9 1 3
Victoria .....	1 13 7	0 1 1	0 9 5	0 10 9	0 5 3	1 13 10	2 6 1	7 0 0
Queensland .....	1 18 10	0 2 6	0 16 3	0 11 3	0 7 3	2 18 0	2 9 0	9 3 1
South Australia...	2 0 1	0 1 6	0 13 4	0 8 9	0 3 3	2 17 11	2 9 10	8 14 8
Western Australia..	6 10 3	0 3 3	1 6 3	0 10 6	0 3 7	3 1 10	6 2 8	17 18 4
Tasmania .....	0 19 11	0 1 2	0 13 2	0 6 7	0 3 4	1 17 7	1 16 8	5 18 5
Commonwealth	2 1 9	0 1 4	0 12 8	0 11 0	0 4 11	2 3 3	2 19 1	8 14 0

## No. 91.—Loan Expenditure and Public Debt, 1901–1902.

State.	Loan Expenditure on Public Works during 1901–1902.	Public Debt, 1902.			† Interest Charge on Debt.	
		Fixed Debt.	Floating Debt.	† Total.	Total.	Per cent.
	£	£	£	£	£	
New South Wales...	4,898,633	66,108,359	5,484,126	71,592,485	2,540,625	3·55
Victoria .....	889,331	50,933,957	2,613,702	53,547,659	1,918,628	3·58
Queensland .....	1,161,689	38,807,427	531,000	**39,338,427	1,459,497	3·71
South Australia .....	.....	24,759,115	.....	24,759,115	915,152	3·70
Southern Territory } .....	566,081	1,663,930	849,500	2,513,430	108,928	4·33
Western Australia .....	1,545,823	14,942,310	.....	14,942,310	502,062	3·36
Tasmania .....	341,994	9,095,735	.....	9,095,735	333,111	3·66
Commonwealth .....	9,403,601	206,310,833	9,478,328	215,789,161	7,778,003	3·60
New Zealand .....	2,890,767	52,966,447	* .....	52,966,447	1,992,743	3·76
Australasia .....	12,294,368	250,277,280	9,478,328	268,755,608	9,770,746	3·64

\* £700,000 Treasury Bills issued in anticipation of Revenue are not included in Debt.

† Against these amounts are to be placed the following accumulated Sinking Funds:—New South Wales, £655,796; Victoria, £429,138; Queensland, nil; South Australia, £92,985; Western Australia, £486,737; Tasmania, £186,446; New Zealand, £1,128,816.

‡ Calculated on the assumption that the Debt as shown in the preceding column is outstanding for the whole of the next financial year.

\*\* Exclusive of £500,000 for Debentures issued under the Savings Bank (Securities) Act of 1875, and £1,079,750 for Government Savings Bank Inscribed Stock.

Note.—The credit and debit balances of the Loan Account have not been taken into consideration in the statements of the Public Debt.

## No. 92.—Public Debt.

State.	1861.	1871.	1881.	1891.	1901.	1902.
	£	£	£	£	£	£
New South Wales ..	4,017,630	10,614,330	16,924,019	52,950,733	67,361,246	71,592,485
Victoria .....	6,345,060	11,994,800	22,426,502	43,638,897	53,538,552	53,547,659
Queensland .....	70,000	4,047,850	13,245,150	29,457,134	36,850,314	39,338,427
South Australia .....	866,500	2,167,700	11,196,800	20,347,125	26,448,805	27,272,545
Western Australia ..	1,750	.....	511,000	1,613,594	12,709,430	14,942,310
Tasmania .....	.....	1,315,200	2,003,000	7,110,290	8,511,005	9,095,735
Commonwealth .....	11,300,940	30,139,880	66,306,471	155,117,773	205,419,352	215,789,161
New Zealand .....	600,761	8,900,991	29,650,111	38,844,914	49,591,245	52,966,447
Australasia .....	11,901,701	39,040,871	95,965,582	193,962,687	255,010,597	268,755,608

## No. 93.—Public Debt, per head of population.

State.	1861.	1871.	1881.	1891.	1901.	1902.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
New South Wales ..	11 4 5	20 10 0	21 14 8	45 10 8	49 1 10	51 6 0
Victoria .....	11 14 3	16 0 11	25 9 7	37 14 4	44 10 0	44 7 6
Queensland .....	2 0 9	32 6 11	58 7 2	73 12 5	73 1 2	76 8 6
South Australia .....	6 16 8	11 13 7	39 2 1	62 9 11	72 16 11	75 2 10
Western Australia ..	0 2 3	.....	17 0 6	30 5 8	67 15 6	71 14 6
Tasmania .....	.....	12 18 5	16 16 10	46 11 10	49 4 0	52 4 1
Commonwealth .....	9 13 8	17 13 11	28 10 9	47 14 1	54 0 3	55 17 4
New Zealand .....	6 1 4	33 6 9	59 4 2	61 5 3	64 3 6	67 4 11
Australasia .....	9 8 0	19 16 4	34 0 2	49 18 4	55 14 7	57 15 11

## No. 94.—Loan Expenditure, 1901–1902.

State.	Works yielding direct Revenue.				Other Works and Services.	Total.
	Railways and Tramways.	Water Supply and Sewerage.	Telegraphs and Telephones.	Total.		
	£	£	£	£	£	£
New South Wales	2,243,672	486,205	39,287	2,769,164	2,129,519	4,898,683
Victoria .....	461,824	88,902	3,910	554,636	334,695	889,331
Queensland .....	751,451	7,462	17,551	776,464	*385,225	1,161,689
South Australia } Northern Territory }	118,674	212,506	12,456	343,636	222,445	566,081
Western Australia	578,935	731,930	.....	1,310,974	234,849	1,545,823
Tasmania .....	80,948	.....	11,520	92,468	*249,526	341,994
Commonwealth	4,235,554	1,527,064	84,724	5,847,342	3,556,259	9,403,601
New Zealand .....	1,333,941	15,325	31,729	1,380,995	1,509,772	2,890,767
Anstral	5,569,495	1,542,389	116,453	7,228,337	5,066,031	12,294,368

\* Includes loans to Local Bodies.

## No. 95.—Loan Expenditure, 1901–1902, per head of population.

State.	Works yielding direct Revenue.				Other Works and Services.	Total.
	Railways and Tramways.	Water Supply and Sewerage.	Telegraphs and Telephones.	Total.		
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
New South Wales..	1 12 6	0 7 1	0 0 7	2 0 2	1 10 10	3 11 0
Victoria .....	0 7 8	0 1 5	0 0 1	0 9 2	0 5 6	0 14 8
Queensland .....	1 9 5	0 0 4	0 0 8	1 10 5	0 15 1	2 5 6
South Australia } Northern Territory }	0 6 6	0 11 8	0 0 8	0 18 10	0 12 2	1 11 0
Western Australia..	2 19 5	3 15 1	.....	6 14 6	1 4 1	7 18 7
Tasmania .....	0 9 4	.....	0 1 4	0 10 8	1 8 9	1 19 5
Commonwealth...	1 2 1	0 8 0	0 0 5	1 10 6	0 18 7	2 9 1
New Zealand .....	1 13 10	0 0 5	0 0 10	1 15 1	1 18 4	3 13 5
Austra'asia ...	1 4 1	0 6 8	0 0 6	1 11 3	1 1 11	2 13 2

## No. 96.—Total Loan Expenditure to 1901–1902.

State.	Works yielding direct Revenue.				Other Works and Services.	Total.
	Railways and Tramways.	Water Supply and Sewerage.	Telegraphs and Telephones.	Total.		
	£	£	£	£	£	£
New South Wales ..	45,414,483	10,365,038	1,294,887	57,074,408	14,937,439	72,011,847
Victoria .....	37,740,161	8,569,518	8,366	46,318,045	4,202,843	50,520,888
Queensland .....	22,592,617	353,389	1,034,578	23,980,584	11,459,930	35,455,514
South Australia } Northern Territory }	13,450,830	5,051,646	992,214	19,494,740	6,330,053	25,794,798
Western Australia ..	7,547,949	2,329,365	269,308	10,146,622	3,324,412	13,471,034
Tasmania .....	3,997,873	.....	141,717	4,139,590	4,455,782	8,595,372
Commonwealth ..	130,743,933	23,673,956	3,741,070	161,158,959	44,690,464	205,849,453
New Zealand .....	18,501,967	679,862	937,887	20,119,716	28,390,516	48,510,232
Australasia .....	149,245,930	27,353,818	4,678,957	181,278,705	73,080,980	254,359,685

The amount of the Public Debt does not in all cases indicate the loan commitments of a State, as it sometimes happens that advances are made from revenue in anticipation of a loan being raised. This, and the fact that loans to a slight extent have been paid off out of revenue, will explain how it comes about that on the 30th June, 1902, the loan expenditure of New South Wales exceeded the amount of the Public Debt.

## No. 97.—Total Loan Expenditure to 1901–1902, per head of population.

State.	Works yielding direct Revenue.				Other Works and Services.	Total.
	Railways and Tramways.	Water Supply and Sewerage.	Telegraphs and Telephones.	Total.		
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
New South Wales...	32 18 4	7 10 3	0 18 9	41 7 4	10 16 6	52 3 10
Victoria .....	31 4 5	7 1 10	0 0 2	38 6 5	3 9 6	41 15 11
Queensland .....	44 5 1	0 14 1	2 0 6	46 19 8	22 9 4	69 9 0
South Australia }	36 17 5	13 16 11	2 14 5	53 8 9	17 5 5	70 14 2
Northern Territory }						
Western Australia...	33 14 7	11 19 0	1 7 8	52 1 3	17 1 2	69 2 5
Tasmania .....	23 0 7	.....	0 16 4	23 16 11	25 13 4	49 10 3
Commonwealth...	34 2 4	6 19 3	0 19 6	42 1 1	11 13 3	53 14 4
New Zealand.. .....	23 9 9	0 17 3	1 3 10	25 10 10	36 0 11	61 11 9
Australasia .....	32 6 1	5 18 5	1 0 3	39 4 9	15 16 5	55 1 2

## No 98.—Total Loan Expenditure in Quinquennial Periods, 1870–1902.

Quinquennial Period.	New South Wales.	Victoria.	Queensland.	South Australia.	Western Australia.	Tasmania.	Commonwealth.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1870–74....	2,334,201	*2,765,017	1,225,008	†.....	†.....	†.....	\$6,324,226
1875–79....	4,983,989	4,706,031	*3,240,378	3,849,847	†.....	†.....	16,735,245
1880–84....	13,839,182	7,618,136	5,748,100	6,210,809	†257,304	†1671,990	¶34,345,581
1885–89....	13,168,727	10,938,191	8,808,862	5,792,042	671,304	2,101,577	41,480,703
1890–94....	13,324,224	9,064,285	4,845,258	3,181,510	*1,892,961	2,826,237	34,634,475
1895–99....	*7,093,628	1,948,834	3,962,472	2,294,169	6,795,713	581,195	22,676,011
1900–1902..	9,859,373	2,862,809	3,556,346	1,595,278	3,919,444	625,531	22,478,781

\* For 4½ years only. † No information available. ‡ For 3 years only. § Exclusive of South Australia, Western Australia, and Tasmania, for which States there is no information available.  
 || Exclusive of Western Australia and Tasmania, for which States there is no information available.  
 ¶ Includes 3 years only for the States of Western Australia and Tasmania.

## No. 99.—Loan Expenditure on Public Works yielding direct Revenue, in Quinquennial Periods, 1870–1902.

Quinquennial Period.	New South Wales.	Victoria.	Queensland.	South Australia.	Western Australia.	Tasmania.	Commonwealth.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1870–74....	1,656,994	*2,522,476	697,608	†.....	†.....	†.....	\$4,877,163
1875–79....	4,303,190	3,770,641	*1,954,133	2,647,809	†.....	†.....	12,675,863
1880–84....	12,944,440	6,996,675	3,959,297	4,640,953	†230,675	†243,472	¶29,015,512
1885–89....	11,124,944	10,325,632	6,595,398	4,697,632	498,416	1,095,252	34,337,274
1890–94....	10,290,836	8,790,147	3,277,820	2,545,824	*1,037,256	1,817,040	27,758,923
1895–99....	*4,430,252	1,519,401	2,490,664	1,539,544	4,890,449	153,675	15,023,985
1900–1902..	5,896,672	1,914,859	1,997,690	1,110,975	3,142,229	212,296	14,274,721

\* For 4½ years only. † No information available. ‡ For 3 years only. § Excluding South Australia, Western Australia, and Tasmania, for which States there is no information available.  
 || Excluding Western Australia and Tasmania, for which States there is no information available.  
 ¶ Includes only 3 years expenditure for States of Western Australia and Tasmania; no other information available.

NOTE.—Between 1872 and 1881 there was an expenditure of £347,597 in Western Australia which cannot be distributed to the proper periods.

## No. 100.—State Indebtedness at end of Financial Year, 1900-1901.

State.	State Debt held—			State Debt, per head of Population, held—		
	In Australia.	In London.	Total.	In Australia.	In London.	Total.
	£	£	£	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
New South Wales .....	12,104,696	55,256,550	67,361,246	8 16 6	40 5 4	49 1 10
Victoria .....	5,423,862	47,647,413	53,071,275	4 10 2	39 12 1	44 2 3
Queensland .....	3,624,230	33,226,034	36,850,314	7 3 8	65 17 6	73 1 2
South Australia .....	3,421,805	23,027,000	26,448,805	9 8 6	63 8 5	72 16 11
Western Australia .....	1,113,200	11,596,230	12,709,430	5 18 9	61 16 9	67 15 6
Tasmania .....	1,030,755	7,480,250	8,511,005	5 19 2	43 4 10	49 4 0
Commonwealth .....	26,718,598	178,233,477	204,952,075	7 0 6	46 17 4	53 17 10

## No. 101.—Local Government Indebtedness at end of Financial Year, 1900-1901.

State.	Local Government Debt held—			Local Government Debt, per head of Population, held—		
	In Australia.	In London.	Total.	In Australia.	In London.	Total.
	£	£	£	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
New South Wales .....	1,575,150	1,317,894	2,893,044	1 3 0	0 19 2	2 2 2
Victoria .....	5,351,953	6,095,000	12,046,953	4 8 11	5 11 4	10 0 3
Queensland .....	410,000	.....	410,000	0 16 3	.....	0 16 3
South Australia .....	52,500	26,900	79,400	0 2 10	0 1 6	0 4 4
Western Australia .....	186,000	80,000	266,000	0 19 10	0 8 6	1 8 4
Tasmania .....	164,009	350,060	514,000	0 19 0	2 0 5	2 19 5
Commonwealth .....	7,739,603	8,469,794	16,209,397	2 0 8	2 4 6	4 5 2

## No. 102.—State and Local Government Indebtedness at end of Financial Year, 1900-1901.

State.	State and Local Government Debt held—			State and Local Government Debt, per head of Population, held—		
	In Australia.	In London.	Total.	In Australia.	In London.	Total.
	£	£	£	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
New South Wales .....	13,679,846	56,574,444	70,254,290	9 19 6	41 4 6	51 4 0
Victoria .....	10,775,815	54,342,413	65,118,228	8 19 1	45 3 5	54 2 6
Queensland .....	4,034,280	33,226,034	37,260,314	7 19 11	65 17 6	73 17 5
South Australia .....	3,474,305	23,053,900	26,528,205	9 11 4	63 9 11	73 1 3
Western Australia .....	1,299,200	11,676,230	12,975,430	6 18 7	62 5 3	69 3 10
Tasmania .....	1,194,755	7,830,250	9,025,005	6 18 2	45 5 3	52 3 5
Commonwealth .....	31,458,201	186,703,271	221,161,472	9 1 2	49 1 10	58 3 0

No. 103.—Revenue from Services transferred to the Commonwealth,  
for the year ended 30th June, 1902.

State.	Customs and Excise.	Posts and Telegraphs.	Naval and Military Defence.	Total.
	£	£	£	£
New South Wales.....	2,812,722	870,244	1,141	3,684,107
Victoria .....	2,376,483	588,278	6,408	2,971,169
Queensland.....	1,297,664	312,882	277	1,610,823
South Australia (including Northern Territory) .....	698,696	276,191	1,369	976,256
Western Australia.....	1,335,613	225,748	30	1,561,391
Tasmania.....	373,141	91,530	205	464,876
Commonwealth .....	8,894,319	2,364,873	9,430	11,268,622

No. 104.—Expenditure on Services transferred to the Commonwealth,  
for the year ended 30th June, 1902, exclusive of Loan expenditure.

State.	Customs and Excise.	Posts and Telegraphs.	Naval and Military Defence.	Total.
	£	£	£	£
New South Wales.....	63,445	827,544	309,137	1,200,126
Victoria .....	63,279	569,314	317,102	949,695
Queensland.....	64,040	414,619	186,062	664,721
South Australia (including Northern Territory) .....	26,779	242,936	58,694	328,409
Western Australia.....	31,828	256,115	35,303	323,246
Tasmania.....	10,213	107,333	29,118	146,664
Commonwealth .....	259,584	2,417,861	935,416	3,612,861

No. 105.—Strength of Military and Naval Forces on 30th June, 1902.

State.	Military Forces.				Naval Forces.
	Paid.	Partially Paid.	Unpaid.	Total.	
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
New South Wales .....	688	5,194	3,063	8,945	663
Victoria .....	364	3,306	8,147	11,817	275
Queensland .....	272	3,177	1,527	4,976	886
South Australia .....	56	2,262	.....	2,318	185
Western Australia.....	34	1,891	200	2,125	.....
Tasmania .....	39	.....	2,391	2,430	.....
Commonwealth .....	1,453	15,830	15,328	*32,611	2,009

\* Exclusive of Civilian Rifle Clubs, the members of which number 35,674, but inclusive of Cadets, which number 7,109.



STATISTICAL VIEW  
OF THE  
PROGRESS OF EACH STATE DURING THE  
TWENTY-TWO YEARS  
1880-1901.

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NEW SOUTH WALES.

## No. 106.—Population and Vital Statistics.

Year.	Population at end of Year.			Births.	Deaths.	Marriages.
	Persons.	Males.	Females.			
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
1880	747,950	409,030	338,920	28,162	11,231	5,572
1881	782,080	429,020	353,060	28,993	11,536	6,284
1882	815,000	447,100	367,900	29,702	12,816	6,948
1883	861,310	473,980	387,330	31,281	12,249	7,405
1884	904,980	498,310	406,670	33,941	14,220	7,482
1885	949,570	523,030	426,540	35,043	15,282	7,618
1886	989,340	543,260	446,080	36,284	14,587	7,811
1887	1,020,330	558,350	461,980	37,236	13,448	7,590
1888	1,051,080*	573,190	477,890	38,525	14,408	7,844
1889	1,081,820	589,010	492,810	37,295	14,796	7,530
1890	1,121,860	609,650	512,210	38,960	14,218	7,876
1891	1,162,190	628,045	534,145	39,458	16,286	8,457
1892	1,191,790	641,545	550,245	40,041	14,410	8,022
1893	1,214,550	651,755	562,795	40,342	16,022	7,749
1894	1,239,250	663,085	576,165	38,951	15,170	7,666
1895	1,262,270	672,520	589,750	38,774	14,914	8,030
1896	1,278,970	680,185	598,785	36,506	15,839	8,495
1897	1,301,780	692,090	609,690	37,247	14,264	8,833
1898	1,323,130	701,815	621,315	36,222	16,661	8,888
1899	1,344,080	710,520	633,560	36,461	15,901	9,275
1900	1,364,590	718,995	645,595	37,146	15,118	9,996
1901	1,379,700	722,760	656,940	37,875	16,021	10,538

## No. 107.—Shipping.

Year.	Inwards.		Outwards.		Total.	
	Vessels.	Tonnage.	Vessels.	Tonnage.	Vessels.	Tonnage.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
1880	2,108	1,242,458	2,043	1,190,321	4,151	2,432,779
1881	2,254	1,456,239	2,103	1,330,261	4,357	2,786,500
1882	2,437	1,686,620	2,340	1,610,045	4,777	3,296,665
1883	2,587	1,935,189	2,774	2,071,048	5,361	4,006,237
1884	2,935	2,284,517	3,010	2,376,441	5,945	4,660,958
1885	2,601	2,088,307	2,583	2,044,770	5,184	4,133,077
1886	2,684	2,114,618	2,755	2,143,986	5,439	4,258,604
1887	2,815	2,142,457	2,906	2,180,301	5,721	4,322,758
1888	2,955	2,414,750	2,972	2,350,669	5,927	4,765,419
1889	3,254	2,632,081	3,229	2,689,098	6,483	5,321,179
1890	2,889	2,413,247	2,777	2,348,625	5,666	4,761,872
1891	3,021	2,821,898	3,100	2,872,338	6,121	5,694,236
1892	2,961	2,804,549	3,067	2,842,635	6,027	5,647,184
1893	2,914	2,590,391	2,916	2,602,957	5,830	5,193,328
1894	3,272	2,859,968	3,291	2,878,586	6,563	5,738,554
1895	3,121	2,929,758	3,090	2,930,280	6,211	5,860,038
1896	3,224	3,080,751	3,208	3,109,009	6,432	6,189,760
1897	3,345	3,331,877	3,120	3,412,554	6,465	6,744,431
1898	3,316	3,464,867	3,263	3,455,061	6,579	6,919,928
1899	3,219	3,468,591	3,199	3,526,960	6,418	6,995,551
1900	3,626	4,094,088	3,406	3,920,801	7,032	8,014,889
1901	3,452	4,196,408	3,375	4,324,826	6,827	8,521,234

## No. 108.—Commerce.

Year.	Total Imports.	Total Exports.	Total Trade.	Imports for Home Consumption.	Exports of Domestic Produce.
	£	£	£	£	£
1880	14,176,063	15,682,802	29,858,865	10,501,192	12,007,931
1881	17,587,012	16,307,805	33,894,817	13,234,484	11,955,277
1882	21,467,899	17,677,355	39,145,254	16,980,498	13,189,954
1883	21,522,841	20,262,273	41,785,114	17,388,920	16,128,352
1884	23,160,916	18,577,290	41,738,206	18,646,853	14,063,227
1885	23,737,461	16,750,107	40,487,568	19,046,634	12,059,280
1886	21,313,127	15,717,937	37,031,064	17,178,419	11,583,229
1887	19,171,317	18,521,750	37,693,067	14,889,879	14,240,312
1888	21,229,277	23,920,130	42,149,407	15,991,539	15,682,392
1889	22,863,057	23,294,934	46,157,991	17,268,516	17,700,393
1890	22,615,004	22,045,937	44,660,941	17,801,792	17,232,725
1891	25,383,397	25,944,020	51,327,417	20,525,089	21,085,712
1892	20,776,526	21,972,247	42,748,773	16,511,381	17,707,102
1893	18,107,035	22,921,223	41,028,258	12,280,025	17,094,213
1894	15,801,941	20,577,673	36,379,614	11,129,229	15,904,961
1895	15,992,415	21,934,785	37,927,200	10,493,840	16,436,210
1896	20,561,510	23,010,349	43,571,859	14,293,852	16,742,691
1897	21,744,350	23,751,072	45,495,422	15,050,821	17,057,543
1898	24,453,560	27,648,117	52,101,677	14,532,510	17,727,067
1899	25,594,315	28,445,466	54,039,781	16,370,703	19,221,854
1900	27,561,071	28,164,516	55,725,587	18,299,012	18,873,488
1901	26,928,218	27,351,124	54,279,342	19,492,978	19,915,884

## No. 109.—Staple Produce Exported.

Year.	Wool.	Tallow.	Coal.	Silver, Silver Lead, and Ore.	Tin.	Copper.
	£	£	£	£	£	£
1880	8,040,625	359,587	425,299	22,768	354,252	268,700
1881	7,149,787	267,177	417,530	14,651	568,795	257,884
1882	7,433,091	236,271	647,033	9,384	511,413	182,473
1883	9,598,761	358,914	829,662	18,113	448,887	472,982
1884	8,953,100	197,707	931,045	142,954	281,188	362,287
1885	7,246,642	195,821	966,663	266,813	308,760	170,993
1886	7,028,596	145,198	947,002	492,029	277,545	122,990
1887	8,911,155	241,765	960,539	574,410	311,889	115,444
1888	9,089,776	207,888	1,064,472	1,142,405	309,510	247,304
1889	10,620,636	198,052	1,319,271	1,971,198	207,670	122,444
1890	8,991,396	266,597	987,173	2,762,554	179,057	84,107
1891	11,036,018	304,599	1,306,630	3,619,589	133,963	119,195
1892	10,211,456	432,322	1,028,395	2,477,836	152,994	114,559
1893	9,675,061	744,331	814,929	3,031,720	126,114	73,287
1894	9,011,790	890,691	804,769	2,289,489	85,264	63,617
1895	8,958,690	773,105	773,954	1,642,671	87,937	136,969
1896	8,776,529	353,566	900,264	1,785,451	68,546	197,814
1897	8,023,893	400,121	952,054	1,698,239	49,900	283,174
1898	8,329,257	310,697	962,668	1,704,055	45,638	272,686
1899	10,020,495	276,706	1,005,794	2,070,657	90,482	395,451
1900	7,632,213	375,855	1,273,034	2,604,117	142,724	425,301
1901	9,035,437	331,779	1,681,824	1,854,463	76,544	412,292

## No. 110.—Live Stock and Public Lands.

Year.	Horses.	Horned Cattle.	Sheep.	Swine.	Area of Land Sold.		Total Revenue from Public Estate.
					Conditional Purchase Applications.	Auction and other Sales.	
	No.	No.	No.	No.	acres.	acres.	£
1880	395,984	2,580,040	35,398,121	308,205	1,147,002	625,932	1,646,332
1881	398,577	2,597,348	36,591,946	213,916	2,329,202	1,328,905	2,820,989
1882	328,026	1,859,985	36,114,814	154,815	2,392,218	1,023,815	2,914,394
1883	326,964	1,640,753	37,915,510	189,050	1,617,712	166,117	1,656,044
1884	337,172	1,425,130	31,660,321	211,656	1,453,937	294,177	1,753,243
1885	344,697	1,317,315	37,820,906	208,697	1,165,351	295,024	1,876,563
1886	361,663	1,367,844	39,169,304	209,576	963,197	288,062	1,643,954
1887	390,609	1,575,487	46,965,152	264,111	793,004	232,956	2,378,994
1888	411,368	1,622,907	46,503,469	248,583	865,199	157,193	2,268,253
1889	430,777	1,741,592	50,106,768	238,585	903,160	40,226	1,989,750
1890	444,163	2,091,229	55,986,431	283,061	1,713,577	83,650	2,091,642
1891	469,647	2,128,838	61,831,416	253,189	1,303,094	50,877	2,112,012
1892	484,309	2,221,459	58,080,114	249,522	816,399	83,611	2,081,863
1893	493,231	2,269,852	56,980,688	240,860	533,805	98,844	2,057,567
1894	518,181	2,465,411	56,977,270	273,359	414,355	50,399	2,030,327
1895	487,943	2,150,057	47,617,687	223,597	253,431	22,572	1,927,650
1896	510,636	2,226,163	48,318,790	214,531	199,450	14,686	1,834,208
1897	498,034	2,085,096	43,952,897	207,738	241,789	26,692	1,835,136
1898	491,553	2,029,516	41,241,004	247,061	298,137	54,056	1,926,870
1899	482,200	1,967,081	36,213,514	239,973	303,113	41,902	1,922,241
1900	481,417	1,983,116	40,020,506	256,577	435,116	78,588	2,118,810
1901	486,716	2,047,454	41,857,099	265,730	549,898	49,562	2,054,410

## No. 111.—Agriculture.

Year ended 31st March.	Total under cultivation, excluding lands grassed.	Area Under—					
		Grain.			Hay.	Sugar-cane.	Grape-vines.
		Wheat.	Maize.	Oats.			
	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.
1881	629,180	253,137	127,196	17,922	131,153	10,971	4,800
1882	583,868	221,887	117,478	16,347	146,610	12,167	4,027
1883	660,227	247,361	118,180	24,817	179,567	13,538	4,418
1884	702,131	289,757	123,634	17,810	178,503	14,984	4,378
1885	735,021	275,249	115,600	19,472	226,646	17,517	4,584
1886	737,701	264,867	132,709	14,117	219,886	16,418	5,247
1887	837,468	337,730	146,957	23,947	223,470	15,117	5,840
1888	855,627	389,390	171,662	19,393	170,324	15,287	6,745
1889	798,966	304,803	166,101	7,984	209,531	15,281	7,072
1890	947,072	419,758	173,836	22,358	212,106	18,730	7,867
1891	852,704	333,233	191,152	14,102	175,242	20,446	8,044
1892	846,383	356,666	174,577	12,958	163,863	22,262	8,281
1893	1,010,727	452,921	167,549	20,890	214,468	26,751	8,264
1894	1,206,992	593,810	205,885	34,148	205,424	28,112	7,375
1895	1,325,964	647,483	208,308	30,636	245,243	32,909	7,577
1896	1,348,600	596,684	211,104	23,750	319,296	32,927	7,519
1897	1,659,717	866,112	211,382	39,530	327,209	31,053	8,061
1898	1,821,829	993,350	209,588	28,605	401,073	25,865	8,083
1899	2,204,500	1,319,503	193,286	19,874	461,784	24,759	8,078
1900	2,439,639	1,426,166	214,697	29,125	554,048	22,517	8,278
1901	2,446,767	1,530,609	206,051	29,383	466,236	22,114	8,441
1902	2,278,370	1,392,070	167,733	32,245	442,163	20,809	8,606

## No. 112.—Agricultural Production.

Year ended 31st March.	Wheat.	Maize.	Oats.	Hay.	Potatoes.	Sugar-cane.	Wine.
	bushels.	bushels.	bushels.	tons.	tons.	tons.	gallons.
1881	3,717,355	4,518,897	356,121	174,194	52,112	121,616	602,007
1882	3,405,966	4,330,956	356,566	198,532	44,323	128,752	513,688
1883	4,042,395	4,057,635	617,465	242,921	43,461	169,192	543,596
1884	4,345,437	4,538,604	376,635	229,241	36,977	204,547	589,604
1885	4,271,394	3,389,505	425,920	280,311	31,335	105,323	442,612
1886	2,733,133	4,336,163	279,107	191,371	38,695	239,347	555,470
1887	5,868,844	3,825,146	600,892	349,898	45,803	167,959	601,897
1888	4,695,849	4,953,125	394,762	230,597	61,455	273,928	666,382
1889	1,450,503	4,910,404	109,931	134,911	36,839	110,218	805,813
1890	6,570,335	5,354,827	543,330	366,229	50,096	168,862	688,685
1891	3,649,216	5,713,205	256,659	213,034	52,791	277,252	842,181
1892	3,963,668	5,721,706	276,259	209,417	62,283	185,258	913,107
1893	6,817,457	5,037,256	466,603	302,134	52,105	264,832	931,542
1894	6,502,715	7,067,576	701,803	235,599	83,838	252,606	748,929
1895	7,041,378	5,625,533	562,725	281,873	86,170	264,254	731,683
1896	5,195,312	5,687,030	374,196	229,671	56,179	207,771	885,673
1897	8,853,445	5,754,217	834,633	334,902	84,214	320,276	794,256
1898	10,560,111	6,713,060	543,946	405,353	55,332	269,068	864,514
1899	9,276,216	6,064,842	278,007	334,297	61,900	289,206	845,232
1900	13,604,166	5,976,022	627,904	546,850	81,337	170,509	739,668
1901	16,173,771	6,292,745	593,548	526,260	63,253	199,118	891,190
1902	14,808,705	3,844,993	687,179	490,348	39,146	187,711	868,479

## No. 113.—Mineral Production.

Year.	Gold.	Silver, Silver Lead and Ore.	Tin.	Copper.	Coal.	Other Minerals.	Total.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1880	444,253	22,768	354,252	268,700	615,336	62,831	1,768,140
1881	573,582	14,651	568,795	257,884	603,248	109,713	2,127,873
1882	526,522	9,384	541,413	182,473	948,965	139,286	2,348,043
1883	458,530	18,113	448,887	472,982	1,201,942	124,584	2,725,038
1884	396,059	142,954	281,188	362,287	1,303,077	224,742	2,710,307
1885	378,665	266,813	308,760	170,993	1,340,213	108,938	2,574,382
1886	366,294	492,029	277,545	122,990	1,303,164	131,622	2,693,644
1887	394,579	574,410	311,889	115,444	1,346,440	129,019	2,871,781
1888	317,241	1,142,405	309,510	247,304	1,455,198	83,954	3,555,612
1889	434,784	1,971,198	207,670	122,444	1,632,849	102,107	4,471,052
1890	460,285	2,762,554	179,057	84,107	1,279,089	238,811	5,003,903
1891	559,231	3,619,589	133,963	119,195	1,742,796	146,185	6,220,959
1892	575,299	2,477,836	152,994	114,559	1,462,388	168,819	4,951,895
1893	651,286	3,031,720	126,114	73,287	1,171,722	186,366	5,240,495
1894	1,156,717	2,289,489	85,264	63,617	1,155,573	109,807	4,860,467
1895	1,315,929	1,642,671	87,937	136,969	1,095,327	135,878	4,414,711
1896	1,073,360	1,785,451	68,546	197,814	1,125,281	106,861	4,357,313
1897	1,128,164	1,698,239	49,900	283,174	1,230,041	236,803	4,626,321
1898	1,244,330	1,704,055	45,638	272,686	1,271,832	256,387	4,794,928
1899	1,751,815	2,070,657	90,482	395,451	1,325,799	446,312	6,080,516
1900	1,194,521	2,604,117	142,724	425,301	1,668,911	433,394	6,468,968
1901	921,282	1,854,463	76,544	412,292	2,178,929	410,640	5,854,150

## No. 114.—Education.

Year.	Colleges and Schools.			Distinct Scholars on Rolls.			Sydney University.	
	State.	Private.	Total.	State Schools.	Private Schools.	Total.	Matriculated Students.	Degrees Conferred.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
1880	1,357	553	1,910	129,560	39,881	169,441	64	27
1881	1,546	520	2,066	146,106	20,430	166,536	80	22
1882	1,658	503	2,161	159,490	29,017	188,507	101	51
1883	1,709	606	2,315	155,824	34,159	189,983	85	24
1884	1,912	623	2,535	167,134	35,385	202,519	142	39
1885	2,046	620	2,666	180,929	29,814	210,743	115	42
1886	2,170	647	2,817	179,990	44,902	224,892	122	34
1887	2,236	689	2,925	184,060	40,450	224,510	132	41
1888	2,271	679	2,950	186,692	40,164	226,856	130	45
1889	2,373	700	3,073	191,215	41,625	232,840	210	56
1890	2,423	697	3,120	195,241	42,612	237,853	301	70
1891	2,457	704	3,161	205,673	45,018	250,691	478	58
1892	2,502	719	3,221	210,641	45,747	256,388	540	90
1893	2,520	782	3,302	210,277	45,401	255,678	539	120
1894	2,508	863	3,371	206,265	51,016	257,281	522	123
1895	2,563	884	3,447	216,396	51,651	268,047	487	114
1896	2,574	893	3,467	221,603	53,967	275,570	438	108
1897	2,577	948	3,525	226,157	56,143	282,300	424	88
1898	2,602	956	3,558	227,561	58,179	285,740	434	103
1899	2,693	1,053	3,746	233,233	60,159	293,392	482	92
1900	2,745	912	3,657	233,382	60,327	298,709	530	114
1901	2,818	889	3,707	241,790	60,928	302,718	574	108

## No. 115.—Posts and Telegraphs.

Year.	Post Offices Open.	Telegraph Offices open.	Length of Telegraph Wire.	Letters and Postcards.	Newspapers.	Telegrams.
	No.	No.	miles.	No.	No.	No.
1880	927	239	13,188	21,885,860	13,791,000	1,319,537
1881	973	318	14,278	26,534,160	16,527,900	1,607,206
1882	1,005	345	15,901	29,549,300	18,082,300	1,965,931
1883	1,046	368	17,272	35,685,800	19,577,300	2,107,288
1884	1,085	394	18,681	42,533,300	25,063,500	2,334,052
1885	1,115	404	19,864	39,692,200	25,567,400	2,625,992
1886	1,157	425	20,797	43,198,600	27,486,300	2,661,126
1887	1,167	434	21,444	45,288,000	30,362,000	3,258,733
1888	1,203	460	22,219	49,506,920	33,755,400	3,936,830
1889	1,261	485	22,606	54,601,400	36,530,800	3,932,670
1890	1,338	628	23,598	63,695,100	40,597,200	4,101,449
1891	1,384	674	24,780	68,987,300	42,517,300	4,046,251
1892	1,423	706	26,443	77,402,760	45,520,500	2,976,109
1893	1,423	724	27,326	78,390,920	44,927,900	2,853,691
1894	1,445	813	28,085	69,163,328	41,667,300	2,464,074
1895	1,470	834	28,799	69,373,708	44,902,900	2,635,456
1896	1,503	856	30,820	70,252,235	45,558,340	2,796,776
1897	1,536	886	33,073	74,024,854	42,426,394	2,728,360
1898	1,578	916	35,630	76,981,695	42,570,850	2,866,570
1899	1,626	945	38,718	76,726,748	46,806,560	3,112,063
1900	1,668	961	41,494	79,602,694	51,500,920	3,219,907
1901	1,684	978	46,133	82,783,467	52,317,650	3,449,315

## No. 116.—Government Railways.

Year.	Length open.	Gross Earnings.	Working Expenses.	Net Earnings.	Capital Expenditure.	Train. Miles run.
	miles.	£	£	£	£	No.
1880	848	1,161,017	647,719	513,298	11,778,819	3,239,462
1881	996	1,444,226	738,334	705,892	13,301,597	3,923,929
1882	1,278	1,698,863	934,635	764,228	15,843,616	4,851,157
1883	1,330	1,931,464	1,177,788	753,676	16,905,014	5,937,261
1884	1,631	2,086,267	1,301,259	784,978	20,080,138	6,403,041
1885	1,745	2,174,368	1,458,153	716,215	21,831,276	6,638,399
1886	1,907	2,160,070	1,492,992	667,078	24,071,454	6,479,265
1887	2,058	2,208,295	1,457,760	750,535	26,532,122	6,472,107
1887-8	2,126	2,295,124	1,530,551	764,573	27,722,748	6,689,313
1888-9	2,183	2,538,477	1,634,602	903,875	29,839,167	7,641,769
1889-90	2,193	2,633,086	1,665,835	967,251	30,555,123	8,008,826
1890-1	2,194	2,974,421	1,831,371	1,143,050	31,768,617	8,410,421
1891-2	2,197	3,107,296	1,914,252	1,193,044	33,312,608	8,356,096
1892-3	2,351	2,927,056	1,738,516	1,188,540	34,657,571	7,505,310
1893-4	2,501	2,813,541	1,591,842	1,221,699	35,855,271	7,169,785
1894-5	2,531	2,878,204	1,567,589	1,310,615	36,611,366	7,594,281
1895-6	2,531	2,820,417	1,551,883	1,268,529	36,852,194	7,719,618
1896-7	2,630	3,014,742	1,601,218	1,413,524	37,369,205	8,130,405
1897-8	2,691	3,026,748	1,614,605	1,412,143	37,719,402	8,340,338
1898-9	2,706	3,145,273	1,690,442	1,454,831	37,992,276	8,806,647
1899-1900	2,811	3,163,572	1,769,520	1,394,052	38,477,269	8,894,352
1900-1901	2,845	3,573,779	2,043,201	1,530,578	38,932,781	10,763,697
1901-1902	3,026	3,668,686	2,267,369	1,401,317	40,565,073	11,649,059

## No. 117.—Public Finance.

Year.	Gross Revenue Proper.				Gross Expenditure Proper.	Public Debt (funded and unfunded) at end of year.	Loan Expenditure, exclusive of Redemption.
	Taxation.	Land Revenue	Other Sources.	Total.			
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1880	1,417,294	1,646,436	1,840,500	4,904,230	5,558,156	14,903,919	1,668,638
1881	1,770,848	2,820,980	2,116,126	6,707,963	5,782,578	16,924,019	2,397,368
1882	1,903,413	2,914,394	2,592,930	7,410,737	6,347,810	18,721,219	2,832,759
1883	1,891,708	1,656,060	2,922,564	6,470,341	7,794,088	24,632,459	3,265,711
1884	2,152,855	1,753,344	3,211,393	7,117,592	8,411,010	30,101,959	3,674,706
1885	2,252,651	1,876,452	3,458,265	7,587,368	8,561,937	35,564,259	3,896,145
1886	2,611,822	1,644,018	3,337,210	7,593,050	9,077,512	41,034,249	3,766,356
1887	2,664,548	2,378,995	3,539,266	8,582,809	9,195,771	40,995,349	1,965,019
1888	2,681,883	2,263,253	3,934,196	8,886,332	8,664,114	44,093,049	2,076,307
1889	2,677,169	2,137,563	4,252,209	9,066,941	9,192,655	48,553,549	1,464,900
1890	2,748,339	2,243,039	4,503,206	9,494,584	9,574,562	48,388,333	2,299,751
1891	2,916,344	2,266,636	4,853,205	10,036,185	10,478,673	52,950,733	4,750,167
1892	3,449,787	2,214,062	4,837,255	10,501,104	10,537,913	54,473,433	3,014,680
1893	2,834,566	2,206,267	4,665,901	9,706,734	10,289,022	59,329,033	1,929,580
1894	2,745,700	2,125,175	4,637,053	9,507,928	9,487,230	59,026,153	1,330,046
1895	1,322,285	1,653,352	2,568,210	4,943,847	4,924,353	58,220,933	659,125
(6 months)							
1895-6	2,566,116	2,017,736	4,636,236	9,270,088	9,877,611	62,411,373	1,279,098
1896-7	2,458,074	1,953,429	4,876,855	9,288,359	9,495,726	61,074,498	1,477,318
1897-8	2,570,982	2,031,601	4,879,509	9,482,092	9,476,619	63,112,720	1,653,143
1898-9	2,559,702	2,009,510	5,184,973	9,754,185	9,743,509	63,762,066	2,024,944
1899-1900	2,676,751	2,180,966	5,346,214	10,203,931	10,316,381	65,332,993	2,219,271
1900-1901	2,013,486	2,123,363	*6,668,694	10,805,543	10,922,862	67,361,246	2,741,419
1901-1902	1,148,942	2,053,126	*7,976,146	11,178,214	11,190,903	71,592,485	4,898,683

\* Includes Surplus Commonwealth Revenue returned to State.

## No. 118.—Local Government.

Year ended Feb- ruary.	Capital Value of all Ratable Property in Municipalities.			Fair average Annual Rental of all Ratable Property.			Current Loans.
	Metro- politan.	Country.	Total.	Metro- politan.	Country.	Total.	
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1880	29,004,902	9,962,802	38,967,704	1,647,017	809,922	2,456,939	.....*
1881	31,803,443	10,660,951	42,464,394	1,815,461	1,084,005	2,899,466	.....*
1882	41,407,542	11,107,191	52,514,733	2,319,992	1,218,135	3,538,127	.....*
1883	45,428,612	11,937,485	57,366,097	2,558,245	1,222,558	3,780,803	.....*
1884	49,556,247	11,697,199	61,253,446	2,805,276	1,064,560	3,869,836	.....*
1885	57,448,910	14,425,195	71,874,105	3,121,440	1,266,502	4,387,942	.....*
1886	62,642,294	17,661,067	80,303,361	3,489,902	1,524,218	5,014,120	.....*
1887	70,115,487	21,828,805	91,944,292	3,786,098	1,713,578	5,499,676	790,149
1888	74,890,140	21,657,823	96,547,968	4,195,573	1,727,951	5,923,524	1,283,148
1889	79,174,154	26,699,331	105,873,485	4,632,930	1,895,591	6,528,521	1,552,087
1890	90,211,478	30,073,617	120,285,095	4,703,626	1,972,071	6,675,697	1,634,013
1891	93,736,074	33,475,972	127,212,046	4,850,967	2,158,108	7,009,075	1,751,296
1892	99,224,810	34,784,948	134,009,758	5,338,255	2,245,175	7,583,430	1,793,775
1893	106,891,100	37,386,300	144,277,400	6,013,697	2,683,806	8,697,503	2,119,450
1894	110,061,000	40,877,000	150,938,000	6,067,882	2,861,533	8,929,415	2,522,393
1895	108,951,000	42,275,000	151,226,000	5,686,197	2,774,477	8,460,674	2,583,874
1896	96,692,200	39,509,900	136,202,100	5,352,929	2,542,725	7,895,645	2,585,235
1897	91,427,100	36,072,600	127,499,700	5,141,900	2,461,745	7,603,735	2,650,910
1898	88,464,400	34,322,600	122,787,000	5,022,910	2,407,210	7,430,120	2,727,569
1899	86,927,600	33,698,000	120,625,600	4,965,400	2,413,950	7,379,350	2,736,703
1900	87,464,000	33,749,800	121,213,800	4,935,200	2,416,900	7,412,100	2,731,334
1901	88,116,600	36,429,600	124,546,200	5,069,630	2,836,130	7,905,760	2,893,044
1902	90,060,600	37,936,300	127,996,900	5,188,700	2,920,500	8,109,200	.....*

\* Information not available.

## No. 119.—Accumulation.

Year.	Banks of Issue (average of December Quarter).			Savings Banks (at end of Year).		Gold Coin and Bullion issued by the Mint.
	Assets.	Liabilities.	Deposits.	Depositors.	Deposits.	
	£	£	£	No.	£	£
1880	21,653,317	19,485,862	17,883,024	61,531	2,075,856	1,499,649
1881	22,394,216	25,591,942	20,308,017	72,384	2,398,703	1,697,649
1882	29,578,311	25,089,892	22,544,549	81,127	3,015,095	1,473,008
1883	31,408,070	26,154,580	23,739,134	91,163	3,005,838	1,342,610
1884	35,091,257	28,551,239	26,250,420	98,521	3,178,280	1,665,592
1885	37,737,869	29,687,296	26,709,336	107,515	3,488,550	1,532,978
1886	40,024,228	31,385,887	28,428,253	111,944	3,504,803	1,708,973
1887	41,333,179	31,732,276	29,253,864	118,875	3,675,893	2,093,235
1888	45,083,820	33,914,573	31,917,311	128,297	4,037,675	2,207,227
1889	50,152,350	35,671,790	33,777,142	134,914	4,280,083	3,322,750
1890	52,436,977	37,248,937	35,460,118	143,826	4,730,469	2,923,476
1891	53,596,259	37,589,764	35,659,690	158,426	5,342,135	2,766,424
1892	53,317,892	37,171,379	35,564,192	167,726	5,706,081	2,837,872
1893	48,794,036	34,102,172	32,141,959	179,727	6,535,758	2,986,509
1894	47,195,214	31,263,120	29,792,793	190,307	7,217,000	3,067,998
1895	45,622,329	32,037,052	30,629,259	202,802	8,073,575	2,778,300
1896	44,527,828	31,254,776	29,835,916	213,608	8,522,623	2,611,649
1897	43,980,722	31,026,523	29,606,735	227,629	9,136,793	2,662,448
1898	42,638,224	31,311,293	29,852,711	242,365	9,480,944	2,618,205
1899	42,194,661	33,055,059	31,428,025	260,826	10,069,434	3,372,446
1900	43,036,427	33,969,731	32,233,591	282,643	10,901,382	3,731,738
1901	43,437,559	35,077,832	33,254,456	306,311	11,808,710	3,030,845



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## No. 120.—Population and Vital Statistics.

Year.	Population at end of Year.			Births.	Deaths.	Marriages.
	Persons.	Males.	Females.			
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
1880	860,067	451,456	408,611	26,148	11,652	5,286
1881	879,886	462,159	417,727	27,145	12,302	5,897
1882	899,562	472,110	427,452	26,747	13,634	6,309
1883	920,694	483,912	436,782	27,541	13,006	6,771
1884	944,564	496,998	447,566	28,850	13,505	7,218
1885	969,202	511,010	458,192	29,975	14,364	7,395
1886	1,000,510	528,919	471,591	30,824	14,952	7,737
1887	1,032,993	546,918	486,075	33,043	16,005	7,768
1888	1,076,966	570,480	506,486	34,503	16,287	8,946
1889	1,103,730	582,550	521,180	36,359	19,392	9,194
1890	1,133,270	596,070	537,200	37,578	18,012	9,187
1891	1,158,400	607,780	550,620	38,505	18,631	8,780
1892	1,168,890	610,690	558,200	37,831	15,851	7,723
1893	1,176,450	612,270	564,180	36,552	16,508	7,004
1894	1,182,630	613,000	569,630	34,258	15,430	7,029
1895	1,186,300	612,370	573,930	33,706	15,636	7,181
1896	1,180,710	604,880	575,830	32,178	15,714	7,625
1897	1,183,090	605,890	577,200	31,310	15,126	7,568
1898	1,183,370	605,490	577,880	30,172	18,695	7,620
1899	1,189,670	607,685	581,985	31,008	16,578	8,140
1900	1,197,390	610,435	586,955	30,779	15,215	8,308
1901	1,208,710	607,285	601,425	31,008	15,904	8,406

## No. 121.—Shipping.

Year.	Inwards.		Outwards.		Total.	
	Vessels.	Tons.	Vessels.	Tons.	Vessels.	Tons.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
1880	2,076	1,078,885	2,115	1,101,014	4,191	2,179,899
1881	2,125	1,219,231	2,123	1,192,671	4,248	2,411,902
1882	2,089	1,349,093	2,079	1,341,791	4,168	2,690,884
1883	2,023	1,464,752	2,064	1,499,579	4,087	2,964,331
1884	1,986	1,569,162	1,989	1,582,425	3,975	3,151,587
1885	2,154	1,631,266	2,119	1,628,892	4,273	3,260,158
1886	2,307	1,848,058	2,324	1,887,239	4,631	3,735,297
1887	2,435	1,920,180	2,418	1,938,063	4,853	3,858,243
1888	2,724	2,182,071	2,630	2,125,812	5,354	4,307,883
1889	2,855	2,270,827	2,886	2,328,351	5,741	4,599,178
1890	2,474	2,178,551	2,459	2,184,790	4,933	4,363,341
1891	2,531	2,338,864	2,560	2,376,245	5,091	4,715,109
1892	2,255	2,224,652	2,266	2,231,602	4,521	4,456,254
1893	1,889	2,009,187	1,887	2,020,551	3,776	4,029,738
1894	2,083	2,163,716	2,045	2,127,743	4,128	4,291,459
1895	1,948	2,181,539	1,889	2,167,147	3,837	4,348,686
1896	1,882	2,276,478	1,900	2,289,752	3,782	4,566,230
1897	1,888	2,437,190	1,882	2,428,182	3,770	4,865,372
1898	2,008	2,472,745	2,043	2,483,992	4,051	4,956,737
1899	2,024	2,662,792	2,031	2,678,663	4,055	5,341,455
1900	2,101	2,929,389	2,134	2,944,192	4,235	5,873,581
1901	2,418	3,392,226	2,347	3,323,265	4,765	6,715,491

## No. 122.—Commerce.

Year.	Total Imports.	Total Exports.	Total Trade.	Imports for Home Consumption.	Exports of Domestic Produce.
	£	£	£	£	£
1880	14,556,894	15,954,559	30,511,453	9,822,802	11,220,467
1881	16,718,521	16,252,103	32,970,624	12,946,985	12,480,567
1882	18,748,081	16,193,579	34,941,660	15,125,290	12,570,788
1883	17,743,846	16,398,863	34,142,709	14,637,277	13,292,294
1884	19,201,633	16,050,465	35,252,098	16,306,652	13,155,484
1885	18,044,604	15,551,758	33,596,362	14,945,091	12,452,245
1886	18,530,575	11,795,321	30,325,896	15,789,941	9,054,687
1887	19,022,151	11,351,145	30,373,296	16,173,985	8,502,979
1888	23,972,134	13,853,763	37,825,897	20,475,004	10,356,633
1889	24,402,760	12,734,734	37,137,494	21,444,696	9,776,670
1890	22,954,015	13,266,222	36,220,237	19,979,614	10,291,821
1891	21,711,608	16,006,743	37,718,351	18,731,291	13,026,426
1892	17,174,545	14,214,546	31,389,091	14,370,807	11,410,808
1893	13,283,814	13,308,551	26,592,365	10,269,189	10,293,926
1894	12,470,599	14,026,546	26,497,145	9,997,670	11,553,617
1895	12,472,344	14,547,732	27,020,076	9,540,105	11,615,493
1896	14,554,837	14,198,518	28,753,355	11,411,143	11,054,824
1897	15,454,482	16,739,670	32,194,152	11,544,206	12,829,394
1898	16,768,904	15,872,246	32,641,150	12,675,541	11,778,883
1899	17,952,894	18,567,780	36,520,674	13,423,714	14,038,600
1900	18,301,811	17,422,552	35,724,363	13,296,486	13,918,556
1901	18,927,340	18,646,097	37,573,437	13,221,564	14,134,028

## No. 123.—Staple Produce Exported.

Year.	Wool.	Tallow.	Hides and Skins.	Wheat and Flour.	Butter.
	£	£	£	£	£
1880	4,234,045	192,394	95,507	825,200	50,600
1881	4,070,589	247,372	110,591	857,385	69,423
1882	4,792,082	186,484	136,105	900,829	67,517
1883	5,213,148	232,400	121,656	603,983	76,417
1884	5,707,658	256,686	148,638	1,704,461	102,322
1885	4,428,180	155,918	102,433	710,973	69,013
1886	4,306,352	121,900	108,344	479,100	61,318
1887	4,503,028	85,640	119,793	818,958	29,165
1888	3,755,265	157,601	202,408	882,662	54,369
1889	5,193,858	149,429	231,931	340,646	37,447
1890	5,121,852	156,851	172,816	453,520	60,327
1891	6,638,983	163,412	223,844	1,292,306	226,326
1892	5,767,433	163,685	303,551	1,226,071	355,700
1893	4,053,434	223,792	386,273	1,006,830	573,107
1894	3,966,134	274,264	263,385	884,934	898,173
1895	4,066,054	242,514	299,597	549,455	977,805
1896	4,011,963	178,089	302,387	53,653	874,710
1897	*2,330,595	148,298	329,850	8,115	884,976
1898	*2,229,596	88,686	276,335	272,405	733,674
1899	*3,598,737	138,727	260,275	1,443,648	1,404,179
1900	*3,422,704	172,397	165,604	897,713	1,489,548
1901	*2,762,801	92,482	252,682	1,264,155	1,238,214

\* Estimated by Customs Department.

## No. 124.—Live Stock and Crown Land Sales.

Year.	Horses.	Cattle.	Sheep.	Figs.	Crown Lands.	Total Revenue from Public Estate.
					Area Sold.	
	No.	No.	No.	No.	acres.	£
1880	275,516	1,286,267	10,360,285	241,936	409,738	836,470
1881	278,195	1,286,677	10,267,265	239,926	458,636	826,139
1882	280,874	1,287,088	10,174,246	237,917	441,433	679,933
1883	286,779	1,297,546	10,739,021	233,525	472,378	719,309
1884	293,846	1,287,945	10,637,412	234,347	469,408	666,557
1885	304,098	1,290,790	10,681,837	239,837	423,994	563,608
1886	303,553	1,303,265	10,700,403	240,957	353,467	587,091
1887	315,000	1,333,873	10,623,985	243,461	363,905	656,267
1888	323,115	1,370,660	10,818,575	245,818	438,968	616,023
1889	329,335	1,394,209	10,882,231	249,673	257,702	579,776
1890	436,459	1,782,978	12,692,843	282,457	249,373	613,451
1891	440,696	1,812,104	12,928,148	286,780	234,264	519,584
1892	439,596	1,824,704	12,965,306	290,339	245,101	482,768
1893	436,903	1,817,291	13,098,725	328,162	321,061	500,768
1894	431,547	1,833,900	13,180,943	337,588	334,397	473,580
1895	.....*	.....*	.....*	.....*	340,628	411,467
1896	.....*	.....*	.....*	.....*	274,482	428,463
1897	.....*	.....*	.....*	.....*	289,480	396,296
1898	.....*	.....*	12,300,000†	.....*	305,543	408,652
1899	.....*	.....*	.....*	.....*	.....‡	375,267
1900	.....*	.....*	9,338,700†	.....*	.....‡	333,004
1901	392,237	1,602,384	10,841,790	350,370	523,471	354,195

\* Returns not collected. † Estimated. ‡ Information not available.

## No. 125 —Agriculture.

Year ended 31st March.	Total under Cultivation, excluding lands grassed.	Area under—					
		Grain.			Hay	Potatoes.	Grape Vines.
		Wheat.	Oats.	Barley.			
	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.
1881	1,548,809	977,285	134,089	68,630	249,656	45,951	4,980
1882	1,438,672	926,729	146,995	48,652	212,150	39,129	4,023
1883	1,596,969	969,362	169,892	43,721	309,382	34,267	5,732
1884	1,759,413	1,104,392	188,161	46,832	302,957	40,195	7,326
1885	1,813,233	1,096,354	187,710	62,273	339,725	38,763	9,042
1886	1,867,496	1,020,082	215,994	74,112	421,036	42,602	9,775
1887	1,863,503	1,052,685	185,765	37,031	445,150	49,974	10,310
1888	2,054,004	1,232,943	199,036	40,983	441,812	48,263	11,195
1889	2,047,190	1,217,191	197,518	83,483	411,332	43,074	12,886
1890	2,097,945	1,178,735	236,496	90,724	451,546	47,139	15,662
1891	2,031,955	1,145,163	221,048	87,751	413,052	53,818	20,686
1892	2,117,404	1,332,683	190,157	45,021	369,498	57,334	25,295
1893	2,243,257	1,342,504	177,645	37,533	512,648	40,594	28,052
1894	2,337,526	1,469,359	218,904	49,105	412,223	40,909	30,275
1895	2,432,984	1,373,668	266,444	97,360	492,578	56,383	30,307
1896	2,413,235	1,412,736	255,503	78,438	464,482	43,895	30,275
1897	2,663,797	1,580,613	419,460	62,373	416,667	43,532	27,934
1898	2,745,039	1,657,450	294,183	37,205	580,000	41,197	27,701
1899	3,210,523	2,154,163	266,159	47,859	565,345	41,252	27,568
1900	3,159,312	2,165,693	271,280	79,573	450,189	55,469	27,550
1901	3,114,132	2,017,321	362,689	58,853	502,105	38,477	30,634
1902	2,965,681	1,754,417	329,150	32,423	659,239	40,058	28,592

## No. 126.—\*Agricultural Production and Production of Gold.

Year.	Wheat.	Oats.	Barley.	Hay.	Potatoes.	Wine.	Gold.
	bushels.	bushels.	bushels.	tons.	tons.	gallons.	oz.
1880...	9,727,369	2,362,425	1,068,830	300,581	129,262	484,028	829,121
1881...	8,714,377	3,612,111	927,566	238,793	134,290	539,191	858,850
1882...	8,751,454	4,446,027	758,477	327,385	129,605	516,763	898,536
1883...	15,570,245	4,717,624	1,069,803	433,143	161,083	723,560	810,047
1884...	10,433,146	4,392,695	1,082,430	371,046	161,119	760,752	778,618
1885...	9,170,538	4,692,303	1,302,854	442,118	163,202	1,003,827	735,218
1886...	12,100,036	4,256,079	827,852	483,049	170,661	986,041	665,196
1887...	13,328,765	4,562,530	956,476	624,122	198,225	1,167,874	617,751
1888...	8,647,709	2,803,800	1,131,427	308,117	131,149	1,209,442	625,026
1889...	11,495,720	5,644,867	1,331,132	666,385	157,104	1,578,590	614,839
1890...	12,751,295	4,919,325	1,571,599	567,779	204,155	2,008,493	588,561
1891...	13,679,268	4,455,551	844,198	514,406	200,523	1,554,130	576,400
1892...	14,814,645	4,574,816	774,207	740,049	142,623	1,694,745	654,456
1893...	15,255,200	4,951,371	1,033,861	503,355	144,708	1,490,184	671,126
1894...	11,445,878	5,633,286	1,596,463	621,547	196,706	1,909,972	673,680
1895...	5,669,174	2,880,045	715,592	390,861	117,238	2,226,999	740,086
1896...	7,091,029	6,816,951	815,605	449,056	146,555	2,822,263	805,087
1897...	10,580,217	4,809,479	758,454	659,635	67,296	1,919,389	812,766
1898...	19,581,304	5,523,419	1,112,567	723,299	161,142	1,882,209	837,257
1899...	15,237,948	6,116,046	1,466,088	596,193	173,381	933,282	854,500
1900...	17,847,321	9,582,332	1,215,478	677,757	123,126	2,578,126	807,407
1901...	12,127,382	6,724,900	693,851	884,369	125,474	1,981,475	789,562

\* Year ended on 31st March next following.

## No. 127.—Education.

Year.	Colleges and Schools.			Distinct Scholars on Rolls.			Melbourne University.	
	State.	Private.	Total.	State.	Private.	Total.	Matriculated Students.	Degrees Conferred.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
1880 ...	1,810	643	2,453	195,736	28,134	223,870	294	49
1881 ...	1,757	645	2,402	195,526	34,062	229,588	363	55
1882 ...	1,762	655	2,417	187,390	34,443	221,833	393	73
1883 ...	1,777	670	2,447	188,949	35,773	224,722	385	64
1884 ...	1,803	655	2,458	188,238	35,115	223,353	426	80
1885 ...	1,826	665	2,491	189,637	34,787	224,424	435	77
1886 ...	1,870	691	2,561	190,223	35,811	226,034	448	102
1887 ...	1,911	749	2,660	192,565	37,823	230,388	493	115
1888 ...	1,933	753	2,686	197,115	40,291	237,406	538	117
1889 ...	2,062	782	2,844	202,822	40,181	243,003	534	129
1890 ...	2,170	791	2,961	213,886	40,181	254,067	563	99
1891 ...	2,233	759	2,992	218,081	37,203	255,284	623	122
1892 ...	2,140	745	2,885	215,020	36,344	251,364	639	127
1893 ...	2,038	826	2,864	206,075	35,742	241,817	611	116
1894 ...	1,956	867	2,823	203,409	38,062	241,471	564	105
1895 ...	1,922	938	2,860	205,486	40,193	245,679	553	141
1896 ...	1,886	930	2,816	209,016	42,044	251,060	536	122
1897 ...	1,877	929	2,806	211,438	42,899	254,337	547	145
1898 ...	1,877	945	2,822	212,164	43,926	256,090	539	147
1899 ...	1,892	901	2,793	214,522	44,500	259,022	.....*	.....*
1900 ...	1,948	884	2,832	218,240	51,834	270,074	.....*	.....*
1901 ...	1,975	.....*	.....*	215,112	.....*	.....*	.....*	.....*

\* Information not available.

## No. 128.—Posts and Telegraphs.

Year.	Post Offices open.	Telegraph Offices open.	Length of Telegraph Wire.	Letters and Post-cards.	Newspapers.	Telegrams transmitted.
	No.	No.	miles.	No.	No.	No.
1880	1,100	284	6,019	24,195,149	10,640,540	1,160,912
1881	1,158	302	6,626	26,308,347	11,440,732	1,281,749
1882	1,218	337	6,922	28,877,977	12,383,928	1,418,769
1883	1,295	365	7,271	30,962,167	13,982,222	1,474,972
1884	1,342	401	8,850	33,403,834	15,143,067	1,181,433
1885	1,384	411	9,617	36,061,880	16,277,108	1,624,666
1886	1,429	420	10,111	38,392,414	17,482,490	2,023,858
1887	1,492	515	10,175	41,287,972	18,869,055	2,260,480
1888	1,544	601	10,360	47,700,776	21,702,876	2,743,938
1889	1,592	656	12,880	48,097,268	20,662,732	2,885,919
1890	1,671	748	13,499	62,526,448	22,729,005	3,114,783
1891	1,729	787	13,989	.....*	.....*	3,065,351
1892	1,766	780	14,100	.....*	.....*	2,725,860
1893	1,733	777	14,220	.....*	.....*	2,478,151
1894	1,719	793	14,420	.....*	.....*	2,366,365
1895	1,573	772	14,409	.....*	.....*	2,036,449
1896	1,572	776	14,389	.....*	.....*	1,872,615
1897	1,589	778	14,374	.....*	.....*	1,821,634
1898	1,598	782	14,729	.....*	.....*	1,806,184
1899	1,610	830	15,125	78,977,930	23,614,234	1,889,488
1900	1,615	824	15,235	79,391,192	25,465,266	1,906,539
1901	1,637	843	13,480	83,065,029	27,125,251	1,946,912

\* Returns not collected.

## No. 129.—Government Railways.

Year.	Length open.	Gross Earnings.	Working Expenses.	Net Earnings.	Capital Expenditure.	Train-miles Run.
	miles.	£	£	£	£	No.
1880	1,199	1,492,917	814,075	678,842	18,041,295	4,380,802
1881	1,247	1,665,209	913,572	751,637	18,603,830	4,633,267
1882	1,355	1,781,078	1,098,599	682,479	19,746,915	5,069,389
1883	1,562	1,898,311	1,273,921	624,390	21,488,065	5,701,513
1884-5	1,676	2,181,932	1,277,425	904,507	22,914,449	6,849,818
1885-6	1,743	2,329,126	1,310,538	1,018,588	24,357,814	7,256,703
1886-7	1,880	2,453,078	1,427,116	1,025,962	26,171,609	7,991,378
1887-8	2,018	2,756,049	1,753,019	1,003,030	28,212,064	9,082,312
1888-9	2,199	3,110,140	1,945,837	1,164,303	31,189,517	10,680,743
1889-90	2,471	3,131,866	2,132,158	999,708	34,370,031	11,773,152
1890-1	2,764	3,298,567	2,310,645	987,922	36,341,626	12,249,747
1891-2	2,904	3,095,122	2,138,139	956,983	37,085,309	11,807,677
1892-3	2,959	2,925,948	1,850,291	1,075,657	37,462,372	10,775,134
1893-4	3,004	2,726,159	1,635,419	1,090,740	37,748,563	10,145,307
1894-5	3,104	2,581,591	1,543,393	1,038,198	37,922,207	9,567,453
1895-6	3,106	2,401,392	1,546,475	854,917	38,108,151	8,989,391
1896-7	3,113	2,615,935	1,563,845	1,052,130	38,329,402	9,228,687
1897-8	3,113	2,608,896	1,646,054	962,842	38,602,304	9,239,657
1898-9	3,143	2,873,729	1,797,726	1,076,003	39,056,451	9,714,298
1899-1900	3,218	3,025,162	1,902,540	1,122,622	39,658,819	10,107,549
1900-1901	3,238	3,337,797	1,984,796	1,353,001	40,145,404	11,066,016
1901-1902	3,302	3,367,843	2,166,118	1,201,725	40,613,784	11,284,944

## No. 130.—Public Finance.

Year.	Revenue.				Expenditure.	Public Debt on 31st December next preceding.	Loan Expenditure exclusive of Redemptions.
	Taxation.	Land Revenue.	Other Sources.	Total.			
1880-1	£ 2,003,704	£ 836,470	£ 2,345,837	£ 5,186,011	£ 5,108,642	£ 22,060,749	£ 819,575
1881-2	2,317,706	826,139	2,448,517	5,592,362	5,145,764	22,426,502	1,064,516
1882-3	2,334,255	679,933	2,597,065	5,611,253	5,651,885	22,103,202	2,656,810
1883-4	2,318,520	719,309	2,896,858	5,934,687	5,715,293	24,308,175	1,600,233
1884-5	2,548,171	666,557	3,075,633	6,290,361	6,140,356	27,526,667	1,134,574
1885-6	2,634,560	563,608	3,282,853	6,481,021	6,513,540	28,628,588	1,730,980
1886-7	2,739,635	587,091	3,407,100	6,733,826	6,561,251	30,114,203	2,068,282
1887-8	3,071,003	656,267	3,880,328	7,607,598	7,287,151	33,127,382	2,328,400
1888-9	3,749,670	616,028	4,310,292	8,675,990	7,919,902	34,627,382	3,675,955
1889-90	3,630,814	579,776	4,308,569	8,519,159	9,645,737	37,367,027	4,134,106
1890-1	3,252,638	613,451	4,477,499	8,343,588	9,128,699	41,443,216	2,341,651
1891-2	3,149,310	519,584	4,060,678	7,729,572	8,482,917	43,638,897	1,324,553
1892-3	2,522,779	482,768	3,953,682	6,959,229	7,989,757	46,774,125	858,240
1893-4	2,497,567	500,768	3,718,479	6,716,814	7,310,246	46,064,004	405,735
1894-5	2,712,313	473,580	3,526,259	6,712,152	6,760,439	46,804,382	214,712
1895-6	2,691,009	411,467	3,356,206	6,458,682	6,540,182	46,828,517	219,513
1896-7	2,645,187	413,551	3,571,479	6,630,217	6,568,932	46,854,311	276,674
1897-8	2,858,949	384,097	3,643,517	6,887,463	6,928,850	46,929,321	462,094
1898-9	3,029,180	394,995	3,959,726	7,383,901	7,001,663	47,058,088	775,841
1899-1900	2,924,052	375,254	4,149,102	7,448,408	7,280,639	*49,324,885	1,033,588
1900-1901	1,750,060	332,711	†5,630,626	7,722,397	7,683,079	*53,071,275	939,890
1901-1902	716,446	354,195	†5,985,692	7,006,333	7,407,781	*53,547,659	889,331

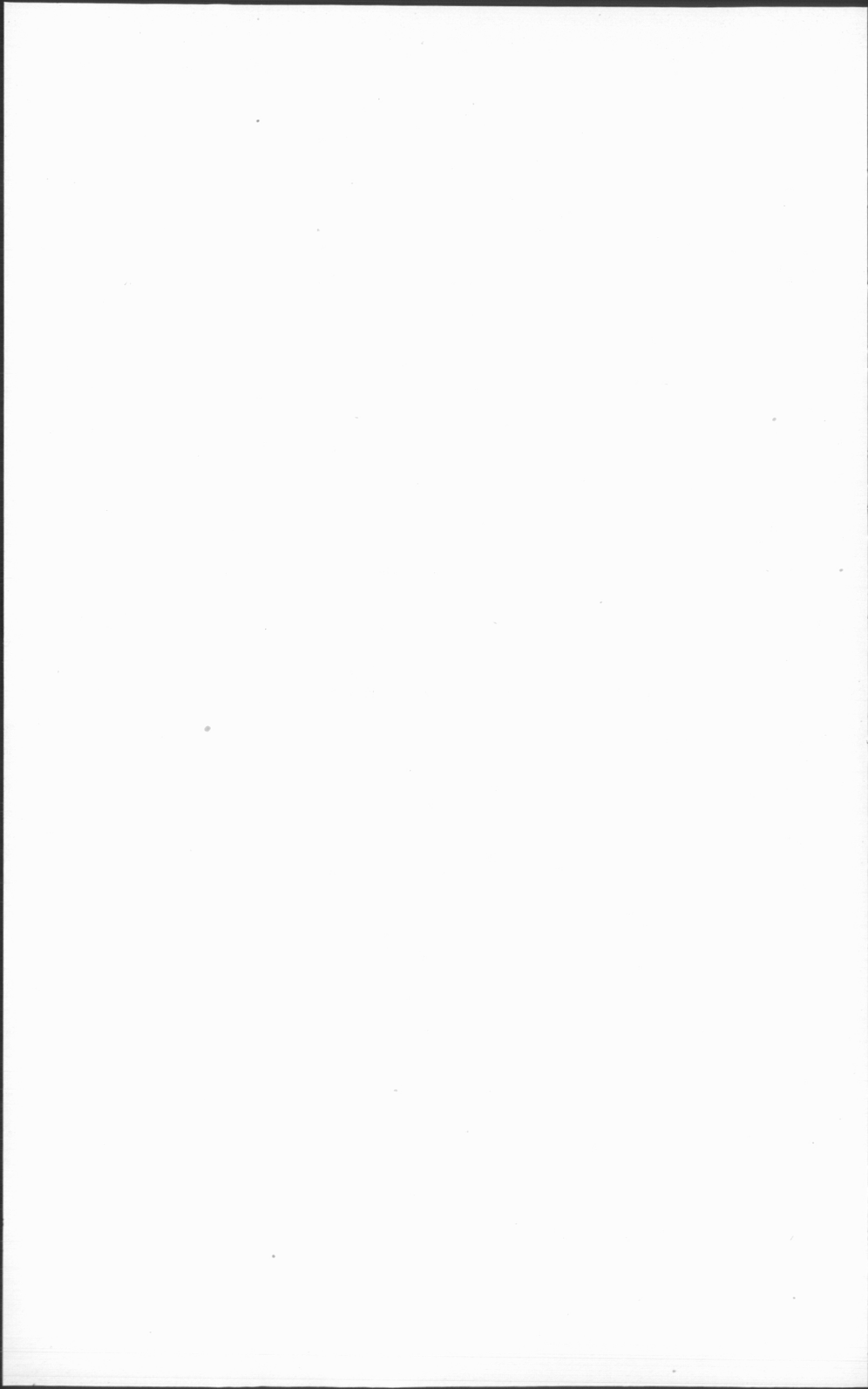
\* On 30th June.

† Includes Surplus Commonwealth Revenue returned to State.

## No. 131.—Accumulation.

Year.	Banks of Issue. (Average of December Quarter.)			Savings Banks.*		Gold Coin and Bullion issued by the Mint.
	Assets.	Liabilities.	Deposits.	Deposit'rs	Deposits.	
	£	£	£	No.	£	£
1880	23,284,822	19,488,512	17,972,703	52,114	1,661,409	3,060,673
1881	27,173,809	22,902,017	21,151,910	107,282	2,569,438	2,795,074
1882	31,248,586	25,496,305	23,625,093	122,584	3,121,246	3,309,229
1883	31,742,507	25,856,709	24,059,169	136,089	2,818,122	3,162,928
1884	36,018,866	30,186,336	28,417,044	152,344	2,981,083	3,802,363
1885	39,174,126	32,517,645	30,593,564	170,016	3,337,018	3,352,483
1886	41,170,989	33,085,989	31,239,472	189,359	3,589,916	3,028,854
1887	46,733,325	37,192,949	35,215,547	206,596	3,696,699	3,074,825
1888	53,111,387	39,749,590	37,570,838	237,433	4,669,541	3,024,831
1889	57,625,653	40,810,770	38,768,936	261,067	5,021,522	3,031,875
1890	60,937,955	42,224,084	40,292,065	281,509	5,262,105	3,000,681
1891	63,720,546	42,244,217	40,416,067	300,781	5,715,687	3,209,656
1892	63,169,942	41,541,161	40,028,170	313,493	5,983,648	3,493,934
1893	56,644,511	33,639,619	32,027,354	323,274	6,707,891	3,749,085
1894	55,277,834	34,727,373	33,284,271	329,965	6,977,878	4,171,480
1895	49,518,627	33,127,299	31,785,925	336,531	7,265,487	4,288,520
1896	49,130,925	32,681,831	31,217,091	345,474	7,519,324	4,658,105
1897	45,560,432	31,650,631	30,209,638	353,963	7,781,048	5,343,995
1898	42,032,701	29,412,293	28,027,140	338,149	8,096,874	5,815,610
1899	40,522,114	31,274,373	30,050,429	375,070	9,110,793	5,835,270
1900	41,518,814	30,784,741	29,698,674	393,026	9,662,007	4,362,364
1901	41,460,634	31,856,498	29,679,087	410,126	10,131,604	4,075,235

\* For last five years on 30th June next following; for previous years on 31st December for Post Office Banks; and on 30th June for Trustee's Banks.





## QUEENSLAND.

## No. 132.—Population and Vital Statistics.

Year.	Population at end of year.			Births.	Deaths.	Marriages.
	Males.	Females.	Total.			
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
1880	133,183	82,894	226,077	8,196	3,017	1,547
1881	133,321	93,647	226,968	8,220	3,320	1,703
1882	145,726	102,529	248,255	8,518	4,274	2,034
1883	168,892	118,583	287,475	9,890	5,041	2,392
1884	182,570	127,343	309,913	10,679	6,861	2,661
1885	190,091	132,315	322,406	11,672	6,235	2,842
1886	197,343	139,765	337,108	12,582	5,575	2,785
1887	207,442	149,540	356,982	13,513	5,166	2,914
1888	214,232	157,119	371,351	14,247	5,529	3,254
1889	219,850	164,110	383,960	14,401	6,132	3,123
1890	223,360	169,600	392,960	15,407	5,638	3,195
1891	226,380	173,750	400,130	14,715	5,170	2,905
1892	230,360	178,680	409,040	14,903	5,266	2,774
1893	234,730	183,240	417,970	14,394	5,695	2,524
1894	240,180	188,360	428,540	13,977	5,298	2,502
1895	246,560	194,550	441,110	14,874	5,152	2,821
1896	250,290	200,010	450,300	14,017	5,645	2,823
1897	255,330	205,100	460,430	14,313	5,423	2,894
1898	261,750	209,760	471,510	13,933	6,243	2,972
1899	270,580	211,820	482,400	13,899	6,144	3,449
1900	277,925	220,325	498,250	14,801	5,747	3,371
1901	284,350	226,170	510,520	14,303	6,007	3,341

## No. 133.—Shipping, Imports and Exports.

Year.	SHIPPING.				IMPORTS.	EXPORTS.
	Inwards.		Outwards.		Total Value.	Total Value.
	Number.	Tonnage.	Number.	Tonnage.		
	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	£	£
1880	.....	.....	.....	.....	3,087,296	3,448,160
1881	.....	.....	.....	.....	4,063,625	3,540,366
1882	.....	.....	.....	.....	6,318,463	3,534,452
1883	*936	*455,985	*867	*426,506	6,233,351	5,276,608
1884	1,042	572,124	1,061	579,988	6,381,976	4,673,864
1885	920	496,277	967	532,904	6,422,490	5,243,404
1886	918	557,026	977	563,453	6,103,227	4,933,970
1887	838	468,180	879	456,052	5,821,611	6,453,945
1888	928	478,517	936	517,712	6,646,738	6,126,362
1889	760	506,780	773	494,229	6,052,562	7,736,309
1890	616	468,607	606	442,172	5,066,700	8,554,512
1891	607	502,794	563	494,324	5,079,004	8,305,387
1892	566	490,869	532	481,559	4,382,657	9,170,408
1893	599	464,581	615	481,047	4,352,783	9,632,662
1894	623	459,647	655	468,378	4,337,400	8,795,559
1895	584	469,710	634	502,195	5,349,007	8,982,600
1896	649	562,759	645	531,289	5,433,271	9,163,726
1897	642	569,610	654	559,290	5,429,191	9,091,557
1898	615	602,006	598	596,313	6,007,266	10,856,127
1899	662	730,450	630	733,613	6,764,097	11,942,858
1900	713	835,355	716	819,662	7,184,112	9,581,562
1901	684	853,515	675	832,305	6,376,239	9,249,366

\* Prior to 1883 vessels calling at more than one port in Queensland during the same voyage were counted at every port.

## No. 134.—Staple Produce Exported.

Year.	Wool.	Tallow.	Live Stock.	Meat.	Sugar.	Gold.
	£	£	£	£	£	£
1880	1,387,530	162,032	232,813	79,128	291,861	820,643
1881	1,331,869	173,262	255,018	54,248	207,210	925,012
1882	1,329,019	129,549	280,410	120,244	152,188	289,655
1883	2,277,878	179,596	626,018	155,808	538,785	698,138
1884	1,889,504	76,019	572,010	70,833	454,759	923,010
1885	1,779,682	97,706	674,114	183,272	720,921	1,119,170
1886	1,413,908	33,434	715,775	15,132	855,510	1,232,330
1887	2,368,711	99,094	952,634	105,225	758,215	1,432,376
1888	2,258,365	75,193	902,444	78,710	384,375	1,662,639
1889	2,680,134	61,003	827,716	93,481	443,569	2,754,382
1890	2,524,742	114,270	1,956,363	145,925	699,494	2,256,476
1891	3,453,548	139,755	897,758	248,297	632,237	1,951,563
1892	4,255,939	250,308	621,548	396,266	589,753	2,069,418
1893	3,572,917	373,548	724,101	546,839	753,983	2,164,277
1894	2,918,572	468,320	405,989	798,720	886,834	2,381,916
1895	2,986,989	595,992	339,899	1,028,172	796,117	2,265,354
1896	2,976,984	337,967	859,367	898,545	863,080	2,089,166
1897	2,499,707	272,528	828,089	1,026,903	681,038	2,539,585
1898	3,009,462	328,531	808,818	1,157,948	1,329,876	2,830,553
1899	3,381,637	468,430	926,727	1,493,929	1,163,010	2,582,830
1900	2,197,243	307,439	597,474	1,562,171	669,389	2,474,630
1901	2,131,864	213,227	714,774	1,320,899	789,191	2,558,788

## No. 135.—Live Stock and Crown Lands.

Year.	Horses.	Horned Cattle.	Sheep.	Pigs.	Quantity of Land Sold by Auction and Subsequent Selection.*	Total Revenue from Public Estate.†	Area Leased.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	Acres.	£	Acres.
1880	179,152	3,162,752	6,935,967	66,248	82,714	611,502	238,739,091
1881	194,217	3,618,513	8,292,883	56,438	267,969	666,135	273,762,933
1882	233,776	4,324,907	12,042,893	50,097	84,021	690,520	306,515,893
1883	236,154	4,246,141	11,507,475	51,009	47,455	619,960	311,528,320
1884	253,116	4,266,172	9,308,911	51,796	515,769	587,331	316,113,760
1885	260,207	4,162,652	8,994,322	55,843	629,368	584,435	307,291,120
1886	278,694	4,071,563	9,690,445	61,861	727,202	522,312	302,259,840
1887	305,865	4,473,716	12,926,158	73,663	537,501	549,616	295,265,280
1888	324,326	4,654,932	13,444,005	68,994	475,498	627,902	292,948,907
1889	352,364	4,872,416	14,470,095	80,730	253,724	572,529	289,706,747
1890	365,812	5,558,264	18,007,234	96,836	339,303	512,709	285,703,333
1891	399,364	6,192,759	20,289,633	122,672	317,850	601,203	280,535,893
1892	422,769	6,591,416	21,708,310	116,930	457,120	644,975	277,295,853
1893	429,734	6,693,200	18,697,015	68,086	421,567	569,389	281,316,885
1894	444,109	7,012,997	19,587,691	89,677	588,942	552,600	271,271,312
1895	468,743	6,822,401	19,856,959	100,747	278,419	526,285	264,882,426
1896	452,207	6,507,377	19,593,696	97,434	397,003	485,759	254,787,200
1897	479,280	6,089,013	17,797,883	110,855	108,851	522,773	245,917,387
1898	480,469	5,571,292	17,552,608	127,081	92,815	530,769	237,690,952
1899	479,127	5,053,836	15,226,479	139,118	10,639	525,903	232,569,360
1900	456,788	4,078,191	10,339,185	122,187	5,854	585,229	223,379,200
1901	462,119	3,772,707	10,030,971	121,641	53,260	580,633	279,986,645

\* Acres alienated.

† For year ended 30th June following.

## No 136.—Agriculture.

Year.	Total number of Acres under Crop.	Under Wheat Grain.	Under Maize.	Under Potatoes.		Under Sugar-cane.	Under Grape Vines.	Other Crops.
	No.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.		Acres.	Acres.	Acres.
1880	113,978	13,182	44,717	6,111		20,224	739	29,005
1881	126,229	15,532	47,540	5,086		28,026	890	29,155
1882	151,199	14,440	54,795	5,133		39,591	1,092	36,148
1883	157,243	10,742	58,106	5,468		47,898	1,198	33,831
				Ordinary. Sweet.				
1884	187,381	15,942	63,659	3,775	1,649	57,687	1,286	43,382
1885	198,334	13,299	73,291	4,894	1,841	59,186	1,483	44,350
1886	209,561	15,665	76,481	4,952	2,250	54,010	1,517	54,685
1887	188,845	10,563	73,882	6,604	2,113	51,815	1,658	42,210
1888	192,987	9,602	87,505	5,338	1,965	47,340	1,703	39,534
1889	232,643	15,861	99,014	4,484	2,701	49,741	1,763	59,079
1890	221,993	10,390	99,400	6,270	2,724	50,922	1,981	53,306
1891	242,629	19,306	101,598	9,173	2,805	50,948	1,988	56,811
1892	247,731	31,742	92,172	8,493	2,964	55,520	1,908	54,932
1893	243,249	28,993	93,556	8,306	2,997	59,251	2,000	48,146
1894	274,982	28,997	103,671	10,523	2,775	71,818	1,987	55,212
1895	285,319	27,090	100,481	9,240	2,736	77,247	2,021	66,504
1896	322,678	35,831	115,715	7,672	3,131	83,093	2,020	75,216
1897	371,857	59,875	109,721	8,197	3,581	98,641	2,167	89,675
1898	363,254	46,219	102,835	7,961	3,696	111,012	2,020	89,416
1899	420,746	52,527	110,489	10,766	3,919	110,657	2,003	130,385
1900	457,397	79,304	127,974	11,060	3,614	108,535	2,019	124,265
1901	483,460	87,232	116,983	9,948	3,390	112,031	1,990	151,886

## No. 137.—Mineral Production.

Year.	Gold.	Silver-lead.	Copper.	Tin.	Coal.
	£	£	£	£	£
1880	934,976	2,459	20,137	142,977	24,573
1881	948,318	13,494	19,637	193,699	29,033
1882	787,125	140	14,982	269,904	33,592
1883	744,731	66,192	21,080	187,292	52,894
1884	1,077,314	35,327	30,872	130,460	60,025
1885	1,083,294	63,711	18,920	151,871	87,228
1886	1,193,493	52,797	7,000	162,124	85,243
1887	1,490,739	80,092	7,600	217,389	97,460
1888	1,685,750	44,015	9,248	200,019	127,947
1889	2,586,860	61,500	12,000	156,406	121,118
1890	2,137,054	56,639	3,000	154,963	157,071
1891	2,017,536	21,879	865	116,387	128,198
1892	2,154,453	36,436	2,461	123,098	123,308
1893	2,159,290	42,408	3,822	106,953	125,340
1894	2,378,289	22,077	9,582	102,277	114,593
1895	2,210,887	30,042	13,097	68,133	132,530
1896	2,241,347	32,162	21,042	49,018	154,987
1897	2,553,141	25,118	12,645	37,509	139,889
1898	2,750,349	10,585	2,166	36,502	150,493
1899	2,838,119	15,671	9,498	77,302	175,715
1900	2,871,709	12,712	23,040	74,041	173,705
1901	2,541,892	62,241	194,227	93,723	189,877

## No. 138.—Posts and Telegraphs.

Year.	Letters.	Newspapers.	Packets.	Miles of Line.	Number of Messages.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
1880	4,576,849	4,326,247	326,253	5,768	574,445
1881	5,178,547	4,530,263	409,575	6,280	661,464
1882	5,952,619	4,960,380	544,444	6,344	865,136
1883	7,260,079	5,868,575	650,685	6,654	1,018,350
1884	8,861,065	7,448,853	814,524	6,979	1,116,482
1885	9,776,407	8,794,633	1,155,017	7,533	1,202,030
1886	10,503,345	9,391,614	1,299,679	8,225	1,450,567
1887	11,586,807	9,752,563	1,509,276	8,772	1,515,357
1888	12,514,102	10,187,451	1,797,915	9,167	1,436,931
1889	13,647,337	11,087,589	1,920,241	9,456	1,327,036
1890	14,759,504	11,284,260	2,097,446	9,830	1,551,082
1891	15,415,842	12,096,147	2,541,957	9,973	1,198,842
1892	15,761,385	11,128,516	2,958,601	9,996	1,104,311
1893	16,297,827	10,545,185	3,632,902	10,004	1,070,702
1894	17,794,092	10,906,618	4,468,600	9,986	991,773
1895	18,278,870	11,885,858	4,970,241	9,979	1,055,615
1896	17,590,710	11,655,336	5,163,278	10,026	1,141,711
1897	18,370,937	11,496,656	4,970,031	10,090	1,165,134
1898	19,723,905	11,647,822	5,368,973	10,088	1,334,846
1899	21,181,287	11,633,266	6,047,908	10,202	1,541,096
1900	22,681,798	12,091,809	6,518,215	10,221	1,558,283
1901	23,269,126	12,804,902	7,629,348	10,246	1,374,727

## No. 139.—Government Railways.

Year.	Miles open.	Gross Earnings.	Working Expenses.	Net Earnings.	Capital Expenditure.	Train Miles.
	No.	£	£	£	£	No.
1880	637	307,727	166,083	141,644	4,995,360	780,650
1881	802	348,590	195,279	153,311	5,789,832	904,159
1882	897	464,160	242,131	222,029	6,244,682	1,275,922
1883	1,035	590,551	291,347	299,204	7,092,973	1,698,482
1884	1,206	682,179	357,535	324,644	8,031,539	2,192,454
1885	1,433	733,337	444,140	289,197	9,206,188	2,619,986
1886	1,555	693,089	476,966	216,123	10,155,603	2,663,204
1887	1,763	778,306	534,772	243,534	11,320,384	2,785,761
1888	1,930	843,132	536,822	306,310	12,169,238	3,223,127
1889-90	2,122	849,868	618,798	231,070	13,606,384	3,738,004
1890-1	2,205	908,704	645,597	263,107	15,101,617	3,770,977
1891-2	2,330	1,052,536	639,502	413,034	16,046,851	3,966,120
1892-3	2,386	1,022,677	638,889	383,788	16,230,490	3,755,655
1893-4	2,392	955,747	598,403	357,344	16,419,093	3,574,019
1894-5	2,392	1,025,512	581,973	443,539	16,522,293	3,917,615
1895-6	2,400	1,085,494	644,362	441,132	16,759,406	4,744,734
1896-7	2,516	1,179,273	684,146	495,127	17,280,569	4,939,159
1897-8	2,636	1,215,811	686,066	529,745	18,056,285	5,007,370
1898-9	2,746	1,373,475	784,811	588,664	18,670,208	5,822,230
1899-1900	2,801	1,464,399	948,691	515,708	19,320,902	6,426,054
1900-1901	2,801	1,316,936	1,057,981	258,955	19,739,495	5,788,112
1901-1902	2,801	1,382,179	992,751	389,428	20,119,143	5,666,058

## No. 140.—Public Finance and Education.

Year.	Revenue (exclusive of Land Orders).	Expenditure.	Public Debt.	Expenditure on Loan Account.	Schools. *	Scholars. *
	£	£	£	£	No.	No.
1880-1	2,023,668	1,743,052	*12,196,150	991,213	.....	.....
1881-2	2,102,095	1,904,201	*13,249,150	882,740	.....	.....
1882-3	2,383,859	2,096,858	*13,125,350	1,204,374	.....	.....
1883-4	2,566,358	2,532,045	*14,917,850	1,665,823	.....	.....
1884-5	2,720,656	2,869,302	*16,419,850	1,565,028	528	60,701
1885-6	2,868,295	3,074,556	*19,320,850	1,923,014	559	64,812
1886-7	2,807,699	3,264,495	*20,820,850	1,943,586	594	67,681
1887-8	3,177,518	3,345,637	*23,320,850	1,735,530	642	73,289
1888-9	3,614,652	3,550,858	*25,840,950	1,641,704	685	77,551
1889-90	3,211,795	3,706,094	*25,840,950	1,549,388	722	81,723
1890-1	3,350,223	3,684,655	29,434,734	1,555,998	757	83,463
1891-2	3,473,716	3,625,281	29,878,534	1,035,524	785	87,649
1892-3	3,445,943	3,557,620	32,060,434	326,271	802	87,675
1893-4	3,343,069	3,351,536	32,073,034	378,077	849	88,949
1894-5	3,413,172	3,308,434	32,074,334	230,120	877	87,606
1895-6	3,641,583	3,567,947	31,944,934	592,158	931	95,418
1896-7	3,613,150	3,604,264	33,569,414	1,148,341	957	103,731
1897-8	3,768,152	3,747,428	33,599,414	937,066	980	108,248
1898-9	4,174,086	4,024,170	33,599,414	1,054,787	1,024	112,260
1899-1900	4,588,207	4,540,418	34,349,414	1,182,668	1,064	117,710
1900-1	4,096,290	4,624,479	36,850,314	1,212,020	1,105	122,723
1901-2	4,535,062	3,967,001	39,338,427	1,161,689	1,141	124,402

\* On 31st December preceding. † Includes Surplus Commonwealth Revenue returned to State.

## No. 141.—Accumulation.

Year.	Banks of Issue.			Savings Banks.	
	Total Assets on 31st December.	Total Liabilities on 31st December.	Deposits.	Number of Depositors.	Balance to Credit on 31st December.
	£	£	£	No.	£
1880	5,487,259	4,062,716	3,433,502	17,339	760,443
1881	7,056,182	5,448,047	4,688,846	20,168	944,251
1882	9,133,039	6,600,572	5,680,051	24,329	1,110,501
1883	10,310,640	7,494,705	6,162,952	28,818	1,163,973
1884	11,155,423	7,662,543	6,322,025	33,067	1,220,614
1885	13,527,826	9,085,592	7,188,958	36,175	1,340,255
1886	14,535,409	7,889,167	7,170,781	37,559	1,337,965
1887	15,565,615	9,491,230	8,708,299	39,780	1,426,018
1888	19,905,421	12,071,609	11,201,189	43,003	1,611,876
1889	20,670,619	10,966,144	10,182,388	43,875	1,597,784
1890	20,906,932	11,183,750	10,365,960	45,885	1,666,855
1891	20,658,180	10,836,771	10,053,257	46,259	1,660,753
1892	20,552,087	11,193,201	10,493,904	47,093	1,708,393
1893	19,739,959	11,079,630	10,827,205	47,885	1,875,615
1894	18,540,514	11,037,294	10,646,215	51,455	2,095,892
1895	18,917,403	11,423,946	11,022,209	56,421	2,286,810
1896	18,850,945	11,346,303	10,879,640	*63,310	*2,568,477
1897	16,842,439	12,370,467	11,869,982	*68,126	*2,807,705
1898	16,058,673	12,691,398	12,166,842	*76,011	*3,171,047
1899	16,207,695	13,419,674	12,819,332	*76,636	*3,624,740
1900	16,257,443	14,190,560	13,653,775	*81,025	*3,896,170
1901	16,741,379	13,983,898	13,677,069	*84,685	*4,118,337

\* For year ended 30th June following.

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NOTE.—Except where otherwise stated, the figures given for South Australia are exclusive of the Northern Territory.

No. 142.—Population and Vital Statistics.

Year.	Population at end of Year.			Births.	Deaths.	Marriages.
	Males.	Females.	Persons.			
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
1880	139,175	128,398	267,573	10,262	3,912	2,291
1881	152,318	134,006	286,324	10,708	4,012	2,308
1882	151,005	138,091	289,096	10,844	4,393	2,530
1883	156,256	143,844	300,100	11,173	4,435	2,539
1884	159,802	147,631	307,433	11,847	4,789	2,555
1885	158,136	148,076	306,212	12,046	3,987	2,447
1886	156,934	147,402	304,336	11,177	4,234	1,976
1887	158,761	149,454	308,215	10,831	3,944	1,977
1888	156,564	150,077	306,641	10,510	3,759	2,084
1889	159,970	151,140	311,110	10,318	3,501	2,062
1890	166,450	152,960	319,410	10,364	3,923	2,235
1891	168,300	155,750	324,050	10,737	4,211	2,315
1892	173,660	160,200	333,860	10,544	3,711	2,119
1893	178,430	164,620	343,050	10,683	4,520	2,110
1894	179,160	168,060	347,220	10,476	4,001	2,094
1895	179,620	171,190	350,810	10,537	3,921	2,048
1896	178,920	172,680	351,600	10,012	4,038	2,183
1897	178,730	173,640	352,370	9,535	3,973	1,949
1898	180,470	174,740	355,210	8,945	4,675	2,214
1899	183,420	175,870	359,290	9,397	4,406	2,265
1900	184,470	176,880	361,350	9,143	3,774	2,305
1901	185,375	179,425	364,800	9,079	3,974	2,304

NOTE.—In the first three columns the Northern Territory is included.

No. 143.—Shipping and Commerce.

Year.	Shipping—Inwards and Outwards.		Imports.	Exports.	Total.	Imports for Home Consumption
	Vessels.	Tons.				
			£	£	£	£
1880	2,156	1,200,904	5,581,497	5,574,505	11,156,002	4,836,569
1881	2,153	1,269,491	5,224,063	4,407,757	9,631,820	4,279,708
1882	2,212	1,337,218	6,707,788	5,359,890	12,067,678	5,535,738
1883	2,136	1,504,765	6,310,055	4,883,461	11,194,516	4,914,421
1884	2,231	1,834,532	5,749,353	6,623,704	12,373,057	4,417,878
1885	2,163	1,807,042	5,289,014	5,417,145	10,706,159	4,257,461
1886	1,737	1,558,476	4,852,750	4,489,008	9,341,758	3,185,880
1887	1,812	1,677,883	5,096,293	5,330,780	10,427,073	3,114,074
1888	1,988	1,973,651	5,413,638	6,984,098	12,397,736	3,100,313
1889	2,082	1,959,342	6,804,451	7,259,365	14,063,816	3,239,778
1890	2,122	2,190,442	8,262,673	8,827,378	17,090,051	3,845,357
1891	2,270	2,576,546	9,956,542	10,512,049	20,468,591	4,129,806
1892	2,001	2,383,263	7,395,178	7,819,539	15,214,717	2,807,898
1893	1,919	2,302,600	7,934,200	8,463,936	16,398,136	2,765,739
1894	2,225	2,759,213	6,226,690	7,301,774	13,528,464	2,272,380
1895	2,216	2,979,643	5,585,601	7,177,038	12,762,639	2,006,314
1896	2,567	3,317,887	7,160,770	7,594,054	14,754,824	2,836,328
1897	2,369	3,560,149	7,126,385	6,928,415	14,054,800	2,682,110
1898	2,151	3,482,525	6,184,805	6,795,774	12,980,579	1,876,040
1899	2,045	3,429,366	6,884,358	8,388,396	15,272,754	2,441,007
1900	2,013	3,552,636	8,034,552	8,029,157	16,063,709	3,615,912
1901	2,154	3,964,198	7,371,588	8,015,889	15,387,477	3,586,730



## No. 144.—Staple Produce Exported.

Year.	Total.	Wheat and Flour.	Wool.	Minerals.
	£	£	£	£
1880	4,829,577	2,458,942	1,716,171	347,246
1881	3,463,402	1,320,489	1,606,306	420,558
1882	4,187,840	1,533,442	1,818,537	462,270
1883	3,487,827	1,019,333	1,682,143	402,450
1884	5,292,222	2,469,543	1,864,903	491,950
1885	4,385,599	2,162,513	1,417,245	344,451
1886	2,822,138	626,610	1,447,971	275,280
1887	3,348,561	1,058,248	1,358,116	319,954
1888	4,670,773	2,155,846	1,353,632	369,889
1889	3,694,692	928,675	1,541,972	348,940
1890	4,410,062	1,996,241	1,353,762	284,893
1891	4,685,313	1,906,472	1,618,487	267,796
1892	3,232,259	925,635	1,380,409	204,418
1893	3,295,475	1,063,760	1,381,766	235,221
1894	3,347,464	1,069,550	1,275,611	250,908
1895	3,537,751	838,435	1,438,776	255,402
1896	3,269,612	613,056	1,228,991	238,214
1897	2,484,140	227,860	995,393	285,951
1898	2,487,009	251,663	945,589	264,849
1899	3,945,045	761,259	1,511,693	451,611
1900	3,610,517	837,118	1,003,391	431,289
1901	4,216,601	1,279,957	1,029,063	508,230

## No. 145.—Live Stock and Lands Alienated.

Year.	Horses.	Cattle.	Sheep.	Crown Lands Sold.	Total Revenue from Public Estate.†
	No.	No.	No.	Acres.	£
1880	157,915	307,177	6,463,897	248,055	605,854
1881	159,678	314,918	6,810,856	380,530	641,424
1882	162,400	306,046	6,388,366	298,075	737,994
1883	164,360	319,620	6,677,067	214,234	479,021
1884	168,420	389,726	6,696,406	124,945	410,547
1885	*	*	*	106,461	480,240
1886	*	*	*	60,214	275,420
1887	*	*	*	33,662	216,856
1888	*	*	*	32,470	316,597
1889	170,515	342,412	6,386,617	25,892	222,755
1890	187,686	359,938	7,004,642	37,767	242,652
1891	188,587	399,077	7,646,239	61,724	253,107
1892	186,726	411,793	7,152,047	43,793	242,285
1893	187,666	423,602	7,267,642	31,359	223,133
1894	*	*	*	28,435	234,835
1895	*	*	*	31,377	206,163
1896	180,211	337,225	6,323,993	31,497	212,220
1897	164,820	274,255	5,032,541	37,210	165,286
1898	161,774	260,343	5,012,620	28,567	179,274
1899	168,695	275,794	5,667,283	37,630	164,376
1900	166,790	214,761	5,235,220	50,087	151,888
1901	165,303	225,256	5,012,216	68,770	148,420

NOTE.—In the years 1880 to 1884 the figures relating to Live Stock include the Northern Territory.

\* Returns not collected.

† For year ended 30th June following.

## No. 146.—Public Schools and Agriculture.

Year.	Schools.	Scholars.	†Total under Cultivation.	Wheat.	Hay.	Other Crops.
	No.	No.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.
1880	370	36,277	2,087,237	1,733,542	272,567	81,128
1881	405	36,888	2,156,407	1,768,781	333,467	54,159
1882	422	38,792	2,189,536	1,746,531	253,093	189,912
1883	431	41,437	2,278,320	1,846,151	366,934	65,245
1884	452	42,758	2,311,737	1,942,453	308,429	60,855
1885	472	44,106	*	*	*	*
1886	504	44,405	*	*	*	*
1887	517	45,073	*	*	*	*
1888	536	45,236	*	*	*	*
1889	540	44,576	2,245,114	1,842,961	329,643	72,510
1890	551	44,804	2,093,515	1,673,573	345,150	74,792
1891	552	47,094	1,927,689	1,552,423	304,171	71,095
1892	579	53,457	2,037,653	1,520,580	434,116	82,957
1893	606	56,302	*	1,732,711	*	*
1894	609	64,048	*	†1,576,950	*	*
1895	634	64,479	*	†1,410,955	*	*
1896	639	65,908	2,051,807	1,693,045	339,257	19,505
1897	655	67,152	2,076,555	1,522,668	449,167	95,720
1898	670	67,613	2,211,814	1,788,770	316,413	106,631
1899	677	68,329	2,238,240	1,821,137	311,440	105,663
1900	690	62,439	2,369,680	1,913,247	341,330	115,103
1901	706	63,183	2,236,552	1,743,452	369,796	123,304

\* Returns not collected. † For year ended on 31st March next following. ‡ Estimated.

## No. 147.—Agricultural Production.

Year.	Wheat.	Oats.	Barley.	Hay.	Potatoes.	Wine.
	bushels.	bushels.	bushels.	tons.	tons.	gallons.
1880-1	8,606,510	50,070	151,886	261,371	16,170	500,955
1881-2	8,087,032	32,219	137,165	240,827	18,154	313,060
1882-3	7,356,117	38,472	134,464	253,379	16,133	347,340
1883-4	14,649,230	80,467	183,806	388,719	25,557	358,606
1884-5	14,621,755	83,639	211,207	285,839	23,192	473,535
1885-6	*	*	*	*	*	*
1886-7	*	*	*	*	*	*
1887-8	*	*	*	*	*	*
1888-9	*	*	*	*	*	*
1889-90	14,577,358	131,449	246,841	395,920	23,853	510,674
1890-1	9,399,389	116,229	175,583	310,125	23,963	762,776
1891-2	6,436,488	80,876	107,183	193,317	27,824	801,835
1892-3	9,240,108	166,489	175,468	389,277	20,057	594,038
1893-4	13,618,062	*	*	*	*	*
1894-5	7,781,223	*	*	*	*	*
1895-6	5,929,300	*	*	*	*	*
1896-7	2,804,493	189,716	107,798	170,808	16,139	1,473,216
1897-8	4,014,852	204,444	162,065	298,184	9,308	1,283,094
1898-9	8,778,900	304,002	234,135	258,518	14,445	1,080,772
1899-1900	8,453,135	218,331	188,917	229,800	19,716	954,367
1900-1901	11,253,148	336,229	211,102	353,662	14,566	1,388,847
1901-1902	8,012,762	439,254	243,362	346,467	15,059	2,077,923

\* Returns not collected.

## No. 148.—Posts and Telegraphs.

Year.	Post Offices.	Telegraph Offices.	Telegraph Line (wire).	Letters.	Newspapers.	Telegrams.
	No.	No.	Miles.	No.	No.	No.
1880	468	159	6,904	10,340,772	5,790,768	564,449
1881	488	165	7,227	10,758,605	5,927,332	628,286
1882	517	172	8,070	11,532,392	5,237,741	691,212
1883	541	179	8,824	12,381,600	6,029,426	696,453
1884	555	188	9,067	12,679,142	6,891,810	731,128
1885	555	190	9,378	13,158,626	6,070,227	713,379
1886	569	200	10,310	13,119,921	6,572,013	669,442
1887	588	205	11,008	15,181,309	7,376,953	757,363
1888	594	210	11,448	17,012,577	7,884,453	994,930
1889	593	210	11,677	16,388,607	9,085,714	984,180
1890	609	218	12,178	16,794,679	9,460,075	1,068,282
1891	629	220	12,707	17,836,092	8,883,103	985,633
1892	638	247	12,911	17,409,769	8,733,718	853,273
1893	638	248	13,082	16,597,917	8,909,279	747,563
1894	648	248	13,171	16,445,556	8,016,400	739,385
1895	665	248	13,473	17,073,913	8,723,501	860,463
1896	676	254	14,280	18,765,041	9,551,729	1,209,419
1897	681	264	14,447	19,123,982	9,421,986	1,229,469
1898	693	268	14,858	19,391,816	8,803,154	1,062,503
1899	692	280	16,938	19,755,396	8,937,040	1,237,008
1900	699	285	17,543	20,387,301	9,956,351	1,207,288
1901	713	286	17,853	21,818,724	9,921,641	1,224,109

NOTE.—The figures are inclusive of the Northern Territory.

## No. 149.—Government Railways.

Year.	Line open.	Gross revenue.	Working expenses.	Net revenue.	Capital expenditure.	Train miles.
	Miles.	£	£	£	£	No.
1880-1	627 $\frac{3}{4}$	418,331	266,666	151,665	4,328,599	1,101,994
1881-2	945 $\frac{1}{4}$	442,371	304,832	137,539	5,355,389	1,281,079
1882-3	972	485,660	333,790	151,870	5,923,159	1,427,587
1883-4	1,036 $\frac{1}{4}$	557,055	372,187	184,868	6,663,614	1,732,716
1884-5	1,063 $\frac{3}{4}$	659,104	403,800	255,303	7,242,605	2,011,603
1885-6	1,211 $\frac{1}{2}$	549,092	370,653	178,438	7,533,500	1,951,882
1886-7	1,419 $\frac{3}{4}$	595,192	382,306	212,886	8,461,274	2,102,856
1887-8	1,500	883,713	432,274	451,439	9,395,533	2,724,804
1888-9	1,543	887,065	493,326	393,739	9,720,078	3,053,135
1889-90	1,610 $\frac{1}{4}$	1,043,878	529,005	514,874	10,234,749	3,304,364
1890-1	1,666	1,223,999	617,179	606,820	11,398,839	3,769,225
1891-2	1,660 $\frac{1}{2}$	1,213,290	652,941	560,349	11,714,434	4,178,286
1892-3	1,664	1,007,059	640,122	366,937	11,936,256	3,670,390
1893-4	1,665 $\frac{3}{4}$	999,707	569,592	430,115	12,154,417	3,470,125
1894-5	1,722	960,155	568,973	391,182	12,520,378	3,393,916
1895-6	1,722 $\frac{1}{2}$	986,500	583,022	403,478	12,583,443	3,452,648
1896-7	1,723 $\frac{3}{4}$	1,025,035	614,254	410,781	12,599,802	3,674,713
1897-8	1,723 $\frac{3}{4}$	984,228	603,474	380,754	12,764,106	3,715,748
1898-9	1,723 $\frac{3}{4}$	1,058,397	617,380	441,017	12,886,359	3,899,061
1899-1900	1,730 $\frac{1}{2}$	1,166,987	657,841	509,146	13,070,087	4,178,686
1900-1901	1,736 $\frac{1}{4}$	1,236,616	729,039	507,577	13,156,291	4,393,181
1901-1902	1,736 $\frac{1}{4}$	1,085,175	689,517	395,658	13,275,037	4,196,138

## No. 150.—Public Finance.

Year.	Revenue.			Expenditure.	*Loan Expenditure exclusive of Redemptions.
	From Lands.	Ordinary.	Total.		
	£	£	£	£	£
1880-1	604,745	1,423,219	2,027,964	1,923,605	1,677,896
1881-2	635,487	1,606,599	2,242,086	2,132,617	1,186,167
1882-3	365,794	1,726,493	2,092,287	2,225,380	1,036,496
1883-4	290,394	1,719,090	2,009,484	2,370,242	1,152,980
1884-5	467,547	1,690,384	2,157,931	2,430,513	1,043,284
1885-6	262,035	2,017,004	2,279,039	2,383,290	1,399,971
1886-7	204,776	1,665,167	1,869,943	2,165,246	1,222,482
1887-8	303,124	2,051,619	2,354,743	2,172,931	988,803
1888-9	211,150	2,091,344	2,302,494	2,265,949	1,137,502
1889-90	233,235	2,245,746	2,478,981	2,404,179	892,267
1890-1	245,573	2,486,649	2,732,222	2,603,498	483,911
1891-2	242,285	2,499,328	2,741,623	2,687,133	547,382
1892-3	228,133	2,231,773	2,459,906	2,660,994	598,197
1893-4	234,835	2,291,870	2,526,705	2,525,606	659,753
1894-5	206,163	2,227,526	2,433,689	2,533,245	502,160
1895-6	212,220	2,309,189	2,521,409	2,509,468	443,051
1896-7	165,286	2,462,763	2,628,049	2,635,860	271,611
1897-8	179,274	2,387,337	2,566,611	2,598,939	495,770
1898-9	164,376	2,501,101	2,665,477	2,632,840	581,577
1899-1900	143,496	2,637,362	2,780,858	2,779,317	606,854
1900-1901	151,888	+2,672,324	2,824,212	2,846,577	422,343
1901-1902	148,420	+2,230,140	2,428,560	2,650,876	566,081

\* Inclusive of Northern Territory. † Includes Surplus Commonwealth Revenue returned to State.

## No. 151.—Accumulation.

Year.	Banks of Issue. (Averages of December Quarter.)			Savings Banks.	
	Assets.	Liabilities.	Deposits.	Depositors.	Balance at Credit of Depositors.
	£	£	£	No.	£
1880	7,179,659	4,861,911	4,265,274	34,287	1,036,957
1881	8,414,743	5,555,593	4,942,554	37,742	1,249,468
1882	10,812,499	5,776,668	5,140,766	42,384	1,529,641
1883	11,868,024	5,306,595	4,648,618	46,388	1,500,249
1884	11,546,828	5,553,159	4,923,989	49,237	1,433,510
1885	12,380,722	6,504,792	5,881,222	53,164	1,571,284
1886	11,446,883	5,474,662	4,962,066	55,204	1,653,081
1887	10,412,043	5,712,295	5,251,005	56,685	1,581,100
1888	10,757,663	6,651,262	6,156,903	60,301	1,627,541
1889	11,189,194	7,368,528	6,822,502	64,320	1,896,248
1890	11,489,843	7,759,926	7,198,637	69,193	1,923,293
1891	10,805,548	8,303,506	7,774,907	74,686	2,158,228
1892	9,691,620	7,960,037	7,499,518	78,795	2,217,431
1893	8,971,060	7,596,687	7,180,989	81,547	2,326,730
1894	8,019,346	7,204,456	6,802,886	84,248	2,456,258
1895	7,436,051	7,270,982	6,750,877	86,734	2,691,272
1896	7,754,673	7,797,520	7,332,709	90,143	2,836,346
1897	7,473,670	6,919,882	6,466,994	93,669	3,011,156
1898	6,809,603	5,821,303	5,412,420	96,401	3,069,751
1899	6,752,772	6,283,735	5,830,665	100,763	3,257,838
1900	6,549,292	6,215,700	5,778,325	106,122	3,489,083
1901	6,616,505	6,350,734	5,903,921	116,436	3,974,709

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## No. 152.—Population and Vital Statistics.

Year.	Population at end of year.			Births.	Deaths.	Marriages.
	Males.	Females.	Total.			
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
1880	16,559	12,460	29,019	933	382	214
1881	17,216	12,797	30,013	853	372	197
1882	17,551	13,215	30,766	1,089	430	215
1883	18,005	13,695	31,700	1,058	560	217
1884	18,623	14,335	32,958	1,094	707	230
1885	19,989	15,197	35,186	1,200	600	256
1886	23,044	16,540	39,584	1,466	806	297
1887	24,807	17,681	42,488	1,557	702	316
1888	24,275	17,862	42,137	1,518	673	304
1889	25,070	18,630	43,700	1,594	611	300
1890	26,790	19,500	46,290	1,561	540	278
1891	32,230	21,050	53,280	1,786	869	413
1892	36,090	22,580	58,670	1,848	931	412
1893	41,010	24,050	65,060	2,112	945	392
1894	55,070	27,000	82,070	2,123	1,081	482
1895	69,730	31,510	101,240	2,373	1,604	633
1896	96,950	41,000	137,950	2,782	2,020	1,077
1897	110,360	51,560	161,920	4,021	2,643	1,659
1898	112,050	56,080	168,130	4,968	2,716	1,674
1899	112,290	58,740	171,030	5,174	2,324	1,671
1900	116,795	63,355	180,150	5,454	2,240	1,781
1901	118,760	76,130	194,890	5,718	2,519	1,821

## No. 153.—Shipping.

Year.	Inward.		Outward.		Total. *	
	Ships.	Tons.	Ships.	Tons.	Ships.	Tons.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
1880	165	123,985	168	126,444	333	250,429
1881	185	145,048	183	139,998	368	285,046
1882	202	172,698	201	171,549	403	344,247
1883	219	194,273	212	194,829	431	389,102
1884	231	227,881	211	215,005	442	442,886
1885	232	231,761	229	236,274	461	468,035
1886	312	262,158	261	239,461	573	501,619
1887	266	252,323	248	240,527	514	492,850
1888	263	402,807	266	409,586	529	812,393
1889	349	497,232	345	507,586	694	1,004,818
1890	281	484,534	267	420,327	548	904,861
1891	310	533,433	288	512,122	598	1,045,555
1892	356	572,090	320	552,475	676	1,124,565
1893	293	539,953	288	531,465	581	1,071,418
1894	372	675,775	349	653,303	721	1,329,078
1895	485	814,368	433	764,185	918	1,578,553
1896	768	1,105,907	683	1,030,471	1,451	2,136,378
1897	721	1,196,760	707	1,181,072	1,428	2,377,832
1898	633	1,199,894	631	1,189,732	1,264	2,389,626
1899	685	1,333,052	668	1,305,596	1,353	2,638,648
1900	769	1,625,696	747	1,606,332	1,516	3,232,028
1901	884	1,842,236	901	1,872,027	1,785	3,714,263

## No. 154.—Commerce.

Year.	Imports.	Exports.	Total Trade.	Imports for Home Consumption.	Exports of Domestic Produce.
	£	£	£	£	£
1880	353,669	499,183	852,852	350,894	496,408
1881	404,831	502,769	907,600	400,696	498,634
1882	508,755	583,055	1,091,810	506,465	580,765
1883	516,846	447,010	963,856	514,600	444,764
1884	521,167	405,693	926,860	519,474	404,000
1885	650,391	446,692	1,097,083	648,907	445,208
1886	758,012	630,393	1,388,405	754,143	626,524
1887	832,213	604,656	1,436,869	828,743	601,186
1888	786,250	680,345	1,466,595	779,426	673,521
1889	818,127	761,392	1,579,519	805,634	748,899
1890	874,447	671,813	1,546,260	862,295	659,661
1891	1,280,093	799,466	2,079,559	1,269,394	788,767
1892	1,391,109	882,148	2,273,257	1,379,775	870,814
1893	1,494,438	918,147	2,412,585	1,446,728	870,437
1894	2,114,414	1,251,406	3,365,820	2,082,055	1,219,047
1895	3,774,951	1,332,554	5,107,505	3,716,035	1,273,638
1896	6,493,557	1,650,226	8,143,783	6,447,079	1,603,748
1897	6,418,565	3,940,098	10,358,663	5,697,036	3,218,569
1898	5,241,965	4,960,006	10,201,971	5,102,379	4,820,420
1899	4,473,532	6,985,642	11,459,174	4,281,836	6,793,946
1900	5,962,178	6,852,054	12,814,232	5,745,841	6,639,827
1901	6,454,171	8,515,623	14,969,794	6,155,266	8,216,718

## No. 155.—Staple Produce Exported.

Year.	Gold.	Wool.	Timber.	Sandal- wood.	Pearl Shell.	Pearls.	Guano.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1880	.....	271,412	66,252	51,970	39,710	12,000	6,650
1881	.....	256,689	79,277	77,165	38,923	12,000	.....
1882	.....	301,235	93,650	96,050	39,870	17,500	.....
1883	.....	225,279	79,760	56,250	32,016	17,500	2,964
1884	.....	249,255	68,936	20,960	15,312	10,000	7,560
1885	.....	248,400	67,850	36,216	43,496	15,000	3,432
1886	1,148	332,578	50,092	27,450	104,964	15,000	66,023
1887	18,517	333,786	28,384	34,533	110,425	15,000	20,527
1888	13,273	423,762	42,060	33,525	59,311	25,000	12,440
1889	58,872	395,904	63,080	57,465	88,555	30,000	8,488
1890	86,664	261,352	82,052	51,355	86,293	40,000	7,983
1891	115,182	329,365	89,176	37,600	100,527	40,000	15,628
1892	226,284	326,703	78,419	42,870	79,259	40,000	4,389
1893	421,385	244,972	33,888	32,160	59,254	30,000	7,052
1894	787,099	232,201	74,804	23,430	37,805	25,000	3,919
1895	879,748	183,510	88,146	30,863	27,298	20,000	200
1896	1,068,808	267,506	116,420	65,800	30,213	20,000	4,506
1897	2,564,977	295,646	192,451	49,480	40,253	20,000	3,250
1898	3,990,698	287,731	326,195	31,812	78,784	20,000	9,386
1899	5,451,368	423,296	553,198	29,719	90,647	20,000	5,165
1900	5,549,887	270,718	458,461	39,038	86,513	20,000	7,527
1901	6,749,638	378,135	572,354	73,931	105,730	25,000	2,742

## No. 156.—Live Stock and Lands.

Year.	Horses.	Cattle.	Sheep.	Land alienated.	Lands in process of alienation, or held on Leases and Licenses.	Land Revenue.
	No.	No.	No.	No. of Acres.	Acres.	£
1880	34,568	63,719	1,231,717	13,810	44,919,631	35,752
1881	31,755	63,009	1,267,912	19,242	58,253,693	40,444
1882	31,325	65,473	1,259,797	21,120	137,256,300	65,919
1883	32,884	64,558	1,315,155	30,750	161,347,734	93,798
1884	37,111	71,102	1,547,061	39,895	148,550,986	90,471
1885	34,392	70,408	1,702,719	54,192	153,775,473	100,238
1886	38,360	88,254	1,809,071	38,945	129,219,079	104,448
1887	41,100	93,544	1,909,940	25,406	123,361,085	76,892
1888	41,390	95,822	2,112,392	21,583	108,667,013	78,296
1889	42,806	119,571	2,366,681	1,417,277	107,194,183	80,102
1890	44,384	130,970	2,524,913	1,838,768	104,921,357	104,384
1891	40,812	133,690	1,962,212	24,474	107,472,756	99,446
1892	44,973	162,886	1,685,500	326,062	100,475,799	73,274
1893	45,747	173,747	2,220,642	363,422	94,603,585	69,663
1894	50,001	187,214	2,132,311	55,004	90,216,400	78,961
1895	58,506	200,091	2,295,832	228,010	88,080,252	153,876
1896	57,527	199,793	2,248,976	46,622	85,385,046	160,001
1897	62,222	244,971	2,210,742	31,450	90,802,838	161,162
1898	63,604	269,947	2,251,548	13,894	94,011,975	169,999
1899	65,920	297,075	2,282,306	31,054	93,316,857	132,470
1900	68,253	338,590	2,434,311	48,957	93,995,265	*156,660
1901	73,830	394,580	2,542,844	6,399	104,272,261	*188,489

\* For year ended 30th June following.

## No. 157.—Agriculture.

Year.	Total area under crop.	Area under—					
		Wheat.	Oats.	Barley.	Hay.	Potatoes.	Vines.
	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.
1880-1	63,902	27,687	1,320	6,364	19,563	471	660
1881-2	53,353	21,951	827	3,979	24,445	278	527
1882-3	56,691	22,718	1,025	4,766	26,959	267	607
1883-4	58,111	28,768	1,395	5,548	20,295	310	725
1884-5	74,930	29,416	1,452	5,616	24,054	500	687
1885-6	60,058	29,512	1,596	6,178	19,677	434	624
1886-7	84,403	24,043	1,766	5,185	25,718	356	649
1887-8	66,163	27,512	1,680	5,935	25,807	474	671
1888-9	65,701	30,740	1,788	5,009	23,914	482	892
1889-90	73,408	35,507	2,075	5,475	25,704	462	1,088
1890-1	69,678	33,820	1,934	5,322	23,183	511	1,024
1891-2	64,210	26,866	1,302	3,738	28,534	532	1,004
1892-3	79,605	35,061	1,695	3,666	35,124	529	1,218
1893-4	83,714	42,673	2,571	3,603	23,590	630	1,643
1894-5	81,323	21,433	1,635	1,949	49,896	703	1,863
1895-6	97,821	23,241	1,880	1,932	63,804	668	2,217
1896-7	111,738	31,488	1,753	1,903	69,436	720	2,294
1897-8	133,183	38,705	1,678	1,694	80,938	1,361	2,654
1898-9	171,777	75,032	3,072	2,186	79,223	1,675	2,961
1899-1900	186,367	84,463	3,940	3,885	78,893	2,837	3,245
1900-1901	201,338	74,308	4,790	2,536	104,254	1,794	3,325
1901-1902	216,824	93,707	9,641	2,719	92,964	1,829	3,724



## No. 158.—\*Agricultural Production, and Production of Gold.

Year.	Wheat.	Oats.	Barley.	Hay.	Potatoes.	Gold Won.
	bushels.	bushels.	bushels.	tons.	tons.	oz.
1880	413,644	25,080	114,552	19,563	1,640	.....
1881	153,657	8,270	36,790	24,445	556	.....
1882	249,898	15,375	66,724	25,959	667	.....
1883	373,984	23,715	88,768	20,295	930	.....
1884	382,400	26,140	92,660	24,050	1,500	.....
1885	339,376	23,142	89,581	19,677	1,085	.....
1886	288,516	28,512	82,816	25,718	1,071	302
1887	270,177	26,015	70,715	23,069	1,571	4,873
1888	310,948	33,645	63,208	21,655	1,815	3,493
1889	504,902	42,545	92,877	24,394	1,891	15,493
1890	467,389	38,791	85,451	25,014	1,900	22,806
1891	265,852	20,328	49,745	24,109	1,729	30,310
1892	406,350	31,534	54,450	40,880	1,937	59,549
1893	520,198	47,603	47,329	34,196	2,309	110,892
1894	170,351	20,246	14,921	38,456	2,545	207,130
1895	180,077	19,326	18,691	53,758	2,290	231,513
1896	243,928	18,871	12,816	50,500	2,089	281,265
1897	408,595	29,266	23,423	75,464	4,270	674,994
1898	870,909	55,854	29,295	77,297	5,698	1,050,183
1899	966,600	73,556	56,587	70,078	8,373	1,643,877
1900	774,653	86,433	29,188	103,813	4,836	1,580,950
1901	933,101	158,638	35,841	91,517	5,665	1,879,391

\* For year ended 31st March next following.

## No. 159.—Government Railways and Telegraphs.

Year.	Average Length of Line.	Gross Earnings.	Working Expenses.	Net Earnings.	Capital Expenditure.	Train Miles.	Telegraph Line.
	miles.	£	£	£	£	No.	miles.
1880	35	2,626	3,851	(-) 1,225	152,741	.....	1,568
1881	55	9,692	10,173	(-) 481	280,677	67,640	1,584
1882	55	12,782	13,180	(-) 448	288,678	68,467	1,584
1883	55	14,249	13,686	563	285,803	95,661	1,584
1884	72½	20,810	18,115	2,695	381,885	140,789	1,885
1885	124	27,354	27,989	(-) 635	576,738	201,700	2,288
1886	133	37,652	35,440	2,212	709,262	282,300	2,405
1887	161	40,686	47,713	(-) 7,027	811,007	338,000	2,548
1888	183	38,382	46,196	(-) 7,814	829,101	359,700	2,921
1889	188	40,494	54,548	(-) 14,154	833,080	383,000	2,921
1890	188	45,113	51,640	(-) 6,527	833,083	284,807	2,921
1891	203	64,034	63,707	327	914,814	454,016	2,921
1892	203	94,201	90,654	3,547	943,396	406,450	3,888
1893-4	321	140,564	103,973	36,591	1,169,221	641,080	3,578
1894-5	550	296,000	182,046	113,954	2,092,372	997,540	4,403
1895-6	580	529,615	263,705	265,911	2,316,824	1,541,750	4,577
1896-7	830	915,483	577,655	337,828	3,734,477	2,537,192	5,429
1897-8	974	1,019,677	786,318	233,359	5,047,261	3,613,874	5,959
1898-9	1,270	1,004,020	712,329	292,291	6,427,370	3,257,871	5,886
1890-1900	1,355	1,259,512	801,470	398,042	6,856,363	4,216,161	5,941
1900-1901	1,355	1,353,704	1,044,920	308,784	7,098,239	4,126,202	6,052
1901-1902	1,300	1,521,429	1,236,370	265,052	7,476,554	4,507,919	6,173

NOTE.—The sign (—) denotes excess of working expenses over gross revenue.

\* On 31st December preceding. † Estimated.

NOTE.—

	Letters and Postcards.	Newspapers.
1897.....	12,933,000	6,744,536
1898.....	13,429,700	7,390,294
1899.....	12,973,553	6,287,018
1900.....	13,621,095	6,992,278
1901.....	17,450,878	7,975,203

## No. 160.--Public Finance.

Year.	General Revenue.	General Expenditure.	Customs Receipts.	Works Department—Expenditure from Revenue.	Public Debt.	Loan Expenditure on Public Works.
	£	£	£	£	£	£
1880	180,049	204,337	95,511	13,290	361,000	*
1881	254,313	197,386	107,993	4,465	511,000	*
1882	250,372	205,451	118,848	14,903	511,000	38,933
1883	284,364	240,566	121,269	27,698	611,000	54,919
1884	290,319	291,307	118,443	39,363	765,000	163,452
1885	323,213	308,849	134,842	31,131	1,288,100	159,538
1886	388,564	394,675	164,048	55,733	1,286,000	134,672
1887	377,904	456,898	170,972	59,517	1,280,700	205,258
1888	357,004	385,130	159,059	21,489	1,275,200	43,804
1889	442,725	386,001	171,990	20,901	1,371,981	128,032
1890	414,314	401,737	182,546	29,370	1,367,444	15,906
1891	497,670	435,623	237,686	30,976	1,613,594	77,994
1892	543,888	550,616	276,544	50,944	2,261,864	369,230
1892-3	575,822	629,372	265,182	85,696	2,230,013	†270,641
1893-4	681,246	656,357	331,298	68,163	3,417,339	659,190
1894-5	1,125,941	936,729	513,508	145,287	3,992,681	606,502
1895-6	1,858,695	1,823,863	780,901	638,502	4,736,573	650,708
1896-7	2,842,751	2,839,453	1,087,257	805,480	7,310,815	2,609,668
1897-8	2,754,747	3,256,912	1,017,724	847,240	9,118,224	1,896,145
1898-9	2,478,811	2,539,358	†867,520	325,895	10,372,825	1,032,690
1899-'00	2,875,396	2,615,675	†933,717	219,465	11,674,640	878,329
1900-'01	\$2,964,121	3,051,331	‡500,845	324,123	12,709,430	1,495,292
1901-'02	\$3,354,123	3,151,427	‡201,569	273,522	14,942,310	1,545,823

\* Information not available. † Half-year ended 30th June. ‡ Excise included. § Includes surplus Commonwealth revenue returned to State. || Estimated receipts under the special W. Aust. tariff.

## No. 161.—Accumulation.

Year.	Banks of Issue (Yearly Averages).			Post Office Savings Banks.	
	Assets.	Liabilities.	Deposits.	Depositors.	Due to Depositors, December 31st.
	£	£	£	No.	£
1880	*	*	*	1,299	22,724
1881	*	*	*	1,654	23,344
1882	*	*	*	1,909	24,838
1883	*	*	*	1,987	25,799
1884	*	*	*	2,002	25,445
1885	*	*	*	2,082	26,148
1886	*	*	*	2,176	29,124
1887	1,653,079	1,000,489	904,802	2,871	32,446
1888	1,680,270	917,294	846,432	3,096	30,809
1889	1,711,841	877,955	816,693	2,965	32,146
1890	1,801,976	1,016,833	952,084	3,014	34,616
1891	2,113,489	1,291,568	1,199,400	3,564	46,181
1892	2,625,989	1,525,783	1,401,483	4,443	61,990
1893	2,780,787	1,420,606	1,293,447	†4,745	†74,926
1894	2,956,082	1,805,936	1,629,302	†6,310	†141,320
1895	3,948,449	2,877,056	2,589,727	†8,374	†221,815
1896	5,754,475	5,083,273	4,577,396	†16,160	†460,610
1897	5,978,798	4,588,830	4,069,667	†26,317	†856,084
1898	5,420,479	4,037,252	3,601,176	†29,791	†1,072,058
1899	4,986,034	4,196,983	3,808,629	†29,371	†1,116,178
1900	5,742,012	4,836,886	4,390,511	†33,646	†1,299,144
1901	5,944,769	4,929,042	4,436,763	†39,339	†1,618,359

\* Information not available. † At 30th June

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## No. 162.—Population and Vital Statistics.

Year.	Population at end of Year.			Births.	Deaths.	Marriages.
	Males.	Females.	Total.			
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
1880	60,550	54,212	114,762	3,739	1,852	840
1881	62,470	55,643	118,113	3,918	1,733	856
1882	63,909	56,925	120,834	4,043	1,909	969
1883	65,398	58,252	123,650	4,249	2,122	1,120
1884	67,199	59,855	127,054	4,578	1,990	1,003
1885	68,369	60,898	129,267	4,637	2,036	1,054
1886	69,612	62,004	131,616	4,627	1,976	985
1887	71,924	64,064	135,988	4,736	2,161	951
1888	73,171	65,175	138,346	4,777	2,036	939
1889	75,200	66,950	142,180	4,757	2,098	967
1890	76,840	68,450	145,290	4,813	2,118	954
1891	80,040	71,290	151,330	4,971	2,234	988
1892	79,850	70,530	150,380	4,965	2,069	995
1893	78,870	71,660	150,530	5,216	2,071	848
1894	79,360	73,240	152,600	4,852	1,938	847
1895	80,550	74,380	154,930	4,790	1,811	847
1896	82,750	76,530	159,280	4,603	1,901	964
1897	85,200	78,670	163,870	4,684	1,947	1,052
1898	88,230	80,090	168,320	4,580	2,359	1,097
1899	90,360	81,860	172,220	4,674	2,204	1,147
1900	89,880	83,100	172,980	4,864	1,902	1,332
1901	90,265	83,965	174,230	4,930	1,805	1,338

## No. 163.—Shipping.

Year.	Inwards.		Outwards.		Total.	
	Vessels.	Tonnage.	Vessels.	Tonnage.	Vessels.	Tonnage.
	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.
1880	654	205,217	655	203,086	1,309	413,303
1881	694	192,024	689	191,738	1,383	383,762
1882	733	208,934	718	208,448	1,451	417,418
1883	657	230,092	648	241,030	1,305	471,122
1884	676	304,574	664	309,624	1,340	614,198
1885	689	342,745	669	335,061	1,358	677,806
1886	690	343,656	715	348,773	1,405	692,429
1887	677	360,404	714	374,895	1,391	735,299
1888	770	385,650	795	390,628	1,565	776,278
1889	842	453,247	819	453,999	1,661	912,246
1890	746	475,618	763	475,629	1,509	951,247
1891	785	514,706	793	529,900	1,578	1,044,606
1892	816	566,538	829	570,602	1,645	1,137,140
1893	693	466,312	690	468,127	1,385	934,439
1894	682	439,050	741	459,317	1,423	898,367
1895	711	463,979	742	473,546	1,453	937,525
1896	661	449,223	678	441,538	1,339	890,761
1897	699	542,049	717	542,119	1,416	1,084,168
1898	739	574,964	786	584,029	1,525	1,158,993
1899	798	663,102	756	655,601	1,554	1,318,703
1900	741	618,963	743	613,955	1,484	1,232,918
1901	816	706,044	820	726,681	1,636	1,432,725

## No. 164.—Commerce.

Year.	Imports.	Exports.	Total Trade.	Imports for Home Consumption.	Exports of Domestic Produce.
	£	£	£	£	£
1880	1,369,223	1,511,931	2,881,154	1,338,622	1,481,330
1881	1,431,144	1,555,576	2,986,720	1,423,684	1,548,116
1882	1,670,872	1,587,389	3,258,261	1,662,000	1,578,517
1883	1,832,637	1,731,599	3,564,236	1,799,372	1,698,334
1884	1,656,118	1,475,857	3,131,975	1,623,975	1,448,714
1885	1,757,486	1,313,693	3,071,179	1,742,804	1,299,011
1886	1,756,567	1,331,540	3,088,107	1,737,443	1,312,416
1887	1,596,817	1,449,371	3,046,188	1,572,703	1,425,457
1888	1,610,664	1,333,865	2,944,529	1,580,707	1,303,908
1889	1,611,035	1,459,857	3,070,892	1,593,783	1,442,605
1890	1,897,512	1,486,992	3,384,504	1,841,326	1,430,806
1891	2,051,964	1,440,818	3,492,782	1,979,073	1,367,927
1892	1,497,161	1,346,965	2,844,126	1,480,340	1,330,144
1893	1,057,683	1,352,184	2,409,867	1,042,085	1,336,586
1894	979,676	1,489,041	2,468,717	960,599	1,469,964
1895	1,094,457	1,373,063	2,467,520	1,026,154	1,305,160
1896	1,192,411	1,496,576	2,688,987	1,169,263	1,473,429
1897	1,367,608	1,744,461	3,112,069	1,345,106	1,721,959
1898	1,650,018	1,803,369	3,453,387	1,567,346	1,720,697
1899	1,769,324	2,577,475	4,346,799	1,749,164	2,557,315
1900	2,073,657	2,610,617	4,684,274	2,016,467	2,595,309
1901	1,965,199	2,945,757	4,910,956	1,953,320	2,933,878

## No. 165.—Staple Produce Exported.

Year.	Wool.	Gold.	Tin and Tin Ore.	Silver and Silver Ore.	Jams, Fruit, Potatoes, and other Vegetable Products.
	£	£	£	£	£
1880	512,244	201,655	341,736	.....	149,823
1881	498,400	211,253	375,775	.....	194,566
1882	432,768	160,910	361,046	.....	247,011
1883	450,367	173,561	376,446	.....	221,301
1884	453,567	132,010	301,423	.....	210,249
1885	260,480	141,319	357,587	.....	225,378
1886	310,934	104,402	363,364	50	249,982
1887	415,425	140,584	407,857	125	218,289
1888	306,930	127,562	426,326	785	157,391
1889	283,237	123,486	345,407	2,966	303,119
1890	419,173	87,085	296,761	16,872	242,216
1891	418,460	133,013	293,170	62,138	183,346
1892	329,585	145,737	290,794	79,353	209,689
1893	296,442	131,104	266,159	153,852	207,706
1894	263,422	212,929	202,454	215,394	273,330
1895	202,341	218,308	167,754	227,916	239,690
1896	290,971	232,180	159,038	222,948	309,269
1897	264,630	230,282	150,586	216,893	330,792
1898	254,960	188,478	141,439	167,618	354,211
1899	357,757	205,936	281,947	208,869	348,269
1900	261,214	207,162	270,998	252,080	390,349
1901	280,347	209,413	216,186	324,335	620,925

Also Copper, Copper Ore, Pyrites, &c.—1897, £317,437; 1898, £378,565 1899, £761,880; 1900, £901,660; 1901, £1,026,748.

## No. 166.—Live Stock and Crown Lands.

Year.	Horses.	Cattle.	Sheep.	Area Sold.	Area leased for Pastoral and Agricultural purposes only.	Revenue from Sales and Rental of Crown Lands.
	No.	No.	No.	acres.	acres.	£
1880	25,267	127,187	1,783,611	38,750	2,557,918	53,413
1881	25,607	130,526	1,847,479	31,335	1,888,053	66,421
1882	25,857	122,504	1,845,455	27,167	1,951,507	74,231
1883	26,840	130,525	1,831,069	37,635	1,902,414	66,566
1884	27,188	128,834	1,720,027	69,616	1,778,977	65,507
1885	28,610	138,642	1,648,627	53,920	1,288,709	66,478
1886	29,684	148,665	1,608,946	51,001	1,106,111	62,495
1887	29,528	147,092	1,547,242	55,525	1,175,445	65,886
1888	29,238	142,019	1,430,065	36,376	1,258,114	76,859
1889	29,778	150,004	1,551,429	51,451	630,482	70,891
1890	31,165	162,440	1,619,256	43,559	666,193	79,964
1891	31,312	167,788	1,664,118	31,060	636,966	84,145
1892	31,976	170,085	1,623,338	31,510	684,284	63,679
1893	31,587	169,141	1,535,047	20,472	651,903	53,824
1894	34,835	177,038	1,727,200	21,143	472,705	43,415
1895	31,580	162,801	1,523,846	14,585	630,035	51,272
1896	29,547	157,730	1,650,567	16,410	723,838	58,297
1897	29,898	157,486	1,588,611	25,110	833,575	64,690
1898	29,859	149,753	1,493,638	20,629	852,298	85,898
1899	31,189	160,204	1,672,068	32,889	976,457	71,201
1900	31,605	164,916	1,683,956	40,423	1,206,794	70,124
1901	32,399	168,661	1,792,481	62,709	1,470,621	73,970

## No. 167.—Agriculture.

Year.	Total Area under Crop.	Area under—				
		Wheat.	Oats.	Peas.	Potatoes.	Gardens and Orchards.
	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.
1880-1	140,788	50,022	19,853	5,994	10,421	6,459
1881-2	148,494	51,757	27,535	5,532	9,670	6,717
1882-3	147,555	46,721	28,849	4,929	9,681	7,122
1883-4	140,375	41,301	23,160	5,613	9,601	7,397
1884-5	146,327	34,091	28,956	6,334	9,037	7,815
1885-6	144,761	30,266	29,247	7,197	11,073	8,198
1886-7	152,380	35,322	21,607	8,694	16,084	8,735
1887-8	150,140	40,498	21,169	6,963	16,394	8,865
1888-9	172,189	40,657	33,834	6,819	13,653	9,760
1889-90	189,959	49,055	40,169	7,398	17,015	9,808
1890-1	157,376	32,452	20,740	9,556	20,133	10,345
1891-2	168,121	47,584	23,360	9,567	16,393	10,702
1892-3	179,396	58,897	22,976	10,277	16,535	10,881
1893-4	191,951	55,312	33,755	10,138	19,068	10,946
1894-5	214,857	52,028	34,385	12,465	23,415	11,068
1895-6	212,703	64,652	32,699	13,050	19,247	11,037
1896-7	229,529	74,516	44,768	12,743	21,651	11,753
1897-8	242,241	85,905	38,166	9,771	22,357	11,695
1898-9	258,542	85,287	59,509	10,086	20,241	12,277
1899-1900	225,126	64,328	45,110	13,179	26,951	13,172
1900-1901	224,352	51,825	45,073	9,824	23,068	13,001
1901-2	232,550	44,084	54,089	11,305	25,444	13,231

## No. 168.—Agricultural Production and Education.

Year.	* Production of—				Government Schools.	
	Wheat.	Oats.	Potatoes.	Apples.	Schools.	Scholars.
	bushels.	bushels.	tons.	bushels.	No.	No.
1880	750,040	439,446	32,548	155,237	171	12,286
1881	977,365	783,129	33,565	142,217	175	13,644
1882	946,889	788,713	37,526	234,805	181	13,775
1883	732,718	634,354	35,409	207,999	183	14,241
1884	654,638	829,611	39,503	279,637	191	14,846
1885	524,353	784,325	53,521	292,461	194	15,418
1886	632,573	560,622	75,773	315,128	209	16,014
1887	675,069	385,195	42,526	289,904	215	16,527
1888	819,497	946,354	66,721	367,426	220	17,125
1889	756,639	1,148,935	72,275	503,013	229	17,948
1890	642,980	519,395	73,158	368,986	240	18,156
1891	937,680	876,573	63,100	604,255	244	19,207
1892	1,018,550	631,746	60,245	391,912	251	20,659
1893	833,771	837,720	76,769	661,350	253	20,475
1894	872,000	927,875	90,810	677,675	249	19,967
1895	1,164,855	906,934	81,423	510,387	258	19,907
1896	1,286,330	971,996	72,241	..... †	270	20,826
1897	1,668,341	1,102,285	49,124	407,750	282	21,759
1898	2,303,512	2,271,070	88,166	363,915	296	22,517
1899	1,101,303	1,148,160	101,670	643,209	309	23,272
1900	1,110,421	1,406,913	93,862	551,251	327	18,693
1901	963,662	1,702,659	114,704	843,348	328	19,236

\* Year ended on 31st March next following.

† Information not available.

## No. 169.—Government Railways and Posts and Telegraphs.

Year.	Lines open.	Net revenue.	Capital expenditure.	Train miles.	Length of telegraph wire.	Letters and post-cards.	Telegrams.
	miles.	£	£	No.	miles.	No.	No.
1880	45	6,104	435,595	104,473	963	2,682,329	108,730
1881	45	6,363	436,815	101,934	1,024	2,994,148	147,660
1882	45	9,878	439,383	102,739	1,184	3,394,599	199,427
1883	45	6,954	445,322	107,466	1,230	3,622,284	210,274
1884	45	8,522	465,494	108,175	1,403	3,828,087	204,152
1885	86½	5,355	668,263	164,575	1,579	3,972,506	218,155
1886	133	8,007	872,332	224,143	1,861	4,183,873	214,738
1887	148	4,346	976,957	295,432	1,915	4,369,706	233,811
1888	157½	2,591	1,165,269	353,515	2,013	4,716,244	271,769
1889	204½	18,094	1,549,848	401,143	2,097	4,814,239	274,212
1890	350½	20,012	2,900,362	552,689	2,342	5,172,824	353,548
1891	376½	21,106	3,093,037	908,694	2,813	5,852,381	456,396
1892	419½	15,340	3,499,920	908,501	3,017	6,063,548	329,334
1893	419½	15,615	3,510,196	799,823	3,031	5,721,964	283,817
1894	419½	21,637	3,518,595	756,594	3,004	5,723,867	260,423
1895	419½	29,291	3,521,956	727,577	3,004	5,894,708	273,127
1896	419½	40,761	3,524,051	739,828	3,028	7,551,791	316,453
1897	424½	38,289	3,526,322	764,938	3,131	8,164,384	344,150
1898	437½	37,001	3,585,039	761,309	3,149	9,396,799	372,575
1899	437½	40,360	3,604,222	806,089	3,252	10,036,613	380,687
1900	438½	42,472	3,659,069	815,903	3,365	10,907,865	370,225
1901	457½	32,391	3,799,098	895,682	3,565	11,173,493	363,414

## No. 170.—Public Finance.

Year.	Revenue.			Expenditure.	Public Debt.
	From Taxation.	Other.	Total.		
	£	£	£	£	£
1880	300,241	141,917	442,158	415,196	1,943,700
1881	344,724	160,282	505,006	463,684	2,003,000
1882	370,856	179,909	550,765	500,801	2,050,600
1883	388,406	173,660	562,066	533,330	2,385,600
1884	344,192	205,049	549,741	577,876	3,202,300
1885	366,118	205,279	571,412	586,598	3,357,000
1886	371,544	197,380	568,904	584,756	4,026,720
1887	375,501	219,475	594,976	669,159	4,109,370
1888	405,807	234,261	640,068	709,486	4,499,470
1889	422,643	256,268	678,909	681,674	5,019,050
1890	454,431	303,669	758,100	722,746	6,432,800
1891	502,139	381,060	883,199	851,559	7,110,290
1892	438,136	349,628	787,764	919,802	7,399,000
1893	399,700	307,272	706,972	836,417	7,645,604
1894	418,942	277,853	696,795	789,806	7,779,145
1895	464,377	297,594	761,971	748,946	8,180,924
1896	467,054	330,922	797,976	750,244	8,251,778
1897	496,472	348,547	845,019	785,026	8,390,026
1898	541,003	367,220	908,223	830,168	8,412,904
1899	547,528	396,442	943,970	871,454	8,413,694
1900	644,510	410,470	1,054,980	923,731	8,511,005
1901	111,515	714,648	826,163	870,442	9,095,735

## No. 171.—Accumulation.

Year.	Banks of Issue.			Savings Banks.	
	Assets.	Liabilities.	Deposits.	Depositors.	Amount of Deposits.
	£	£	£	No.	£
1880	2,214,988	2,264,647	2,122,091	13,520	310,081
1881	2,716,027	2,755,767	2,600,113	14,728	369,278
1882	2,989,928	3,097,319	2,864,297	16,367	388,727
1883	3,512,618	3,735,242	3,516,872	17,981	388,593
1884	3,986,376	4,208,863	4,022,168	19,061	414,503
1885	3,754,226	3,814,632	3,640,428	20,166	436,414
1886	4,239,885	4,325,721	4,127,946	21,100	429,090
1887	4,080,673	4,047,193	3,832,137	22,117	448,281
1888	3,922,499	3,818,363	3,564,717	23,090	469,928
1889	4,462,522	4,221,404	3,958,848	24,397	497,492
1890	4,711,548	4,412,094	4,158,708	25,324	521,250
1891	4,428,251	4,192,791	4,073,631	26,916	554,417
1892	3,974,259	3,798,562	3,776,573	27,499	568,778
1893	3,589,405	3,396,240	3,552,953	28,190	580,438
1894	3,365,336	3,338,362	3,242,040	28,872	609,234
1895	3,358,894	3,309,598	3,201,276	30,769	648,084
1896	3,246,904	3,200,433	3,083,055	32,803	690,740
1897	3,234,329	3,102,943	2,969,298	34,518	731,648
1898	3,327,101	3,112,799	2,941,301	36,619	788,126
1899	3,341,030	3,267,623	3,105,563	39,923	915,062
1900	3,388,112	3,400,097	3,246,671	42,509	1,009,098
1901	3,264,592	3,374,399	3,209,150	44,527	983,576



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## No. 172.—Population and Vital Statistics.

Year.	Population (exclusive of Maoris) at end of year.			Births.	Deaths.	Marriages.
	Males.	Females.	Totals.			
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
1880	268,364	216,500	484,864	19,341	5,437	3,181
1881	274,528	225,547	500,075	18,732	5,491	3,277
1882	282,236	233,522	515,758	19,009	5,701	3,600
1883	292,856	244,700	537,556	19,202	6,061	3,612
1884	303,994	255,392	559,386	19,846	5,740	3,800
1885	312,415	263,340	575,755	19,693	6,081	3,813
1886	317,287	271,433	588,720	19,299	6,135	3,488
1887	323,788	278,141	601,929	19,135	6,137	3,563
1888	323,447	281,128	604,575	18,902	5,708	3,617
1889	328,850	287,700	616,560	18,457	5,772	3,632
1890	332,840	293,210	626,050	18,278	5,994	3,797
1891	336,180	297,880	634,060	18,273	6,518	3,805
1892	345,140	305,290	650,430	17,876	6,459	4,002
1893	357,630	314,630	672,260	18,187	6,767	4,115
1894	363,760	322,370	686,130	18,528	6,918	4,178
1895	369,730	328,980	698,710	18,546	6,863	4,110
1896	376,990	337,170	714,160	18,612	6,432	4,843
1897	384,710	344,350	729,060	18,737	6,595	4,928
1898	392,120	351,340	743,460	18,955	7,244	5,091
1899	398,680	357,820	756,500	18,835	7,680	5,461
1900	405,560	365,120	770,680	19,546	7,200	5,860
1901	414,225	373,435	787,660	20,491	7,634	6,095

## No. 173.—Shipping.

Year.	Inwards.		Outwards.		Total.	
	Vessels.	Tonnage.	Vessels.	Tonnage.	Vessels.	Tonnage.
	No.	tons.	No.	tons.	No.	tons.
1880	730	395,675	786	424,041	1,516	819,716
1881	765	420,134	762	413,487	1,527	833,621
1882	795	461,285	769	438,551	1,564	899,836
1883	805	494,926	851	507,565	1,656	1,002,491
1884	852	529,188	872	534,242	1,724	1,063,430
1885	786	519,700	780	513,000	1,566	1,032,700
1886	725	502,572	707	488,331	1,432	990,903
1887	653	489,754	675	493,583	1,328	983,337
1888	683	526,435	701	531,478	1,384	1,057,913
1889	781	602,634	762	593,252	1,543	1,195,886
1890	744	662,769	745	649,705	1,489	1,312,474
1891	737	618,515	744	625,807	1,481	1,244,322
1892	686	675,223	689	656,100	1,375	1,331,323
1893	617	615,604	635	642,466	1,252	1,258,070
1894	609	631,100	614	631,250	1,223	1,262,350
1895	611	672,951	597	648,946	1,208	1,321,897
1896	589	614,097	592	627,659	1,181	1,241,756
1897	600	686,899	587	675,333	1,187	1,362,232
1898	620	765,255	622	765,793	1,242	1,531,048
1899	609	811,183	604	807,866	1,213	1,619,049
1900	616	854,632	613	825,275	1,229	1,679,907
1901	638	1,063,274	691	1,075,906	1,379	2,139,180

## No. 174.—Commerce.

Year.	Imports.	Exports.	Total Trade.	Imports for Home Consumption.	Exports of Domestic Produce.
	£	£	£	£	£
1880	6,162,011	6,352,692	12,514,703	5,911,619	6,102,300
1881	7,457,045	6,060,866	13,517,911	7,158,429	5,762,250
1882	8,609,270	6,658,008	15,267,278	8,204,612	6,253,350
1883	7,974,038	7,095,999	15,070,037	7,733,283	6,855,244
1884	7,663,888	7,091,667	14,755,555	7,514,707	6,942,486
1885	7,479,921	6,819,939	14,299,860	7,251,893	6,591,911
1886	6,759,013	6,672,791	13,431,804	6,472,904	6,386,682
1887	6,245,515	6,866,169	13,111,684	5,930,427	6,551,081
1888	5,941,900	7,767,325	13,709,225	5,429,703	7,255,128
1889	6,308,863	9,341,864	15,650,727	6,009,007	9,042,008
1890	6,260,525	9,811,720	16,072,245	5,877,566	9,428,761
1891	6,503,849	9,566,397	16,070,246	6,337,546	9,400,094
1892	6,943,056	9,534,851	16,477,907	6,774,073	9,365,868
1893	6,911,515	8,985,364	15,896,879	6,483,594	8,557,443
1894	6,788,020	9,231,047	16,019,067	6,642,121	9,085,148
1895	6,400,129	8,550,224	14,950,353	6,240,058	8,890,153
1896	7,137,320	9,321,105	16,458,425	6,993,551	9,177,336
1897	8,055,223	10,016,993	18,072,216	7,634,497	9,596,267
1898	8,230,600	10,517,955	18,748,555	8,037,633	10,324,988
1899	8,739,633	11,938,335	20,677,968	8,601,038	11,799,740
1900	10,646,096	13,246,161	23,892,257	10,478,163	13,055,249
1901	11,817,915	12,881,424	24,699,339	11,638,565	12,690,460

## No. 175.—Staple Produce Exported.

Year.	Wool.	Grain.	Frozen Meat.	Flax (Phormium).	Gold.	Kauri Gum.
	£	£	£	£	£	£
1880	3,169,300	898,997	.....	15,617	1,220,263	242,817
1881	2,909,760	986,072	.....	26,285	996,867	253,778
1882	3,118,554	907,961	19,339	41,955	921,664	260,369
1883	3,014,211	1,236,724	118,323	36,761	892,445	336,606
1884	3,267,527	766,824	345,090	23,475	988,953	342,151
1885	3,205,275	513,697	373,857	16,316	890,056	299,762
1886	3,072,971	463,549	427,193	15,922	939,648	257,653
1887	3,321,074	443,789	455,870	25,094	747,878	362,434
1888	3,115,008	668,859	628,800	75,269	914,309	380,933
1889	3,976,375	985,224	783,374	361,182	785,490	329,590
1890	4,150,599	1,030,415	1,087,617	381,789	751,360	378,563
1891	4,129,686	676,338	1,194,724	281,514	1,007,172	437,056
1892	4,313,307	816,272	1,033,377	214,542	951,963	517,678
1893	3,774,738	583,397	1,085,167	219,375	915,921	510,775
1894	4,827,016	226,183	1,194,545	66,256	887,865	403,567
1895	3,662,131	215,783	1,262,711	21,040	1,162,181	418,766
1896	4,391,848	346,197	1,251,993	32,985	1,041,423	431,323
1897	4,443,144	235,429	1,566,286	30,674	980,204	398,010
1898	4,645,804	136,120	1,698,750	74,556	1,080,691	586,767
1899	4,324,627	721,506	2,088,856	184,411	1,513,180	607,919
1900	4,749,196	1,032,355	2,123,881	332,182	1,439,602	622,293
1901	3,699,103	1,285,018	2,253,262	195,728	1,753,784	446,114

## No. 176.—Live Stock and Crown Lands.

Year.	Horses.	Horned Cattle.	Sheep.	Waste Lands Sold for Cash in each year.	Lands finally alienated under the Deferred-payment System.	Land taken up on Perpetual Lease.
	No.	No.	No.	acres.	acres.	acres.
1880	.....	.....	.....	131,798	18,978	.....
1881	161,736	698,637	12,985,085	235,815	39,494	.....
1882	.....	.....	.....	138,512	27,487	.....
1883	.....	.....	.....	113,500	24,229	26,786
1884	.....	.....	.....	96,267	40,023	20,975
1885	.....	.....	16,564,595	59,613	34,637	24,441
1886	187,382	853,358	.....	39,964	29,292	50,329
1887	.....	.....	.....	21,154	18,496	72,401
1888	.....	.....	15,468,860	64,898	23,630	205,371
1889	.....	.....	15,503,263	42,617	24,773	238,634
1890	.....	.....	18,128,186	98,479	46,808	289,871
1891	211,040	831,831	18,570,752	56,060	52,021	283,440
1892	.....	.....	19,380,369	33,659	41,726	125,194
1893	.....	885,305	20,230,829	26,275	44,779	3,854
1894	.....	964,034	19,826,604	38,695	53,577	1,263
1895	237,418	1,047,901	19,138,493	26,584	62,287	1,427
1896	249,813	1,138,572	19,687,954	28,489	57,015	9,106
1897	252,834	1,209,165	19,673,725	22,526	41,683	651
1898	258,115	1,203,024	19,348,506	37,430	39,506	640
1899	261,931	1,210,439	19,347,346	23,941	26,370	624
1900	266,245	1,256,680	19,355,195	58,725	.....	2,499
1901	279,672	1,361,784	20,233,699	27,300	.....	10

## No. 177.—Agriculture.

Year.	Total Area under Crop.	Area under—				
		Wheat.	Oats.	Barley.	Potatoes.	Hay.
	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.
1880-1	971,868	324,949	215,030	46,878	22,553	54,097
1881-2	1,070,906	365,715	243,387	29,808	22,540	68,423
1882-3	1,194,349	390,818	319,858	28,146	20,488	61,054
1883-4	1,228,102	377,706	262,954	32,907	21,102	73,997
1884-5	1,188,911	270,043	354,794	39,703	21,348	56,670
1885-6	1,024,797	173,891	329,488	34,603	24,823	40,304
1886-7	1,186,093	253,025	387,228	21,535	27,683	57,938
1887-8	1,286,176	357,359	336,474	27,912	25,338	67,812
1888-9	1,322,572	362,153	367,225	45,027	26,331	50,656
1889-90	1,410,626	335,861	426,071	42,402	30,577	45,889
1890-1	1,356,670	301,460	346,224	32,740	32,691	44,045
1891-2	1,424,777	402,273	323,508	24,268	27,266	46,652
1892-3	1,389,105	381,245	326,531	24,906	18,338	61,811
1893-4	1,313,612	242,737	376,646	28,857	21,121	60,740
1894-5	1,246,143	148,575	351,852	36,519	25,339	56,614
1895-6	1,650,232	245,441	364,788	35,358	31,997	96,818
1896-7	1,773,673	258,608	372,607	29,813	29,990	109,466
1897-8	1,844,090	315,801	354,819	29,920	36,402	67,865
1898-9	2,009,251	399,034	417,320	45,671	38,604	75,620
1899-1900	1,732,752	269,749	398,243	48,003	36,984	68,234
1900-1901	1,578,958	206,465	449,534	30,831	28,524	68,023
1901-1902	1,545,683	163,462	405,924	26,514	31,259	62,984

## No. 178.—Agricultural Production and Education.

Year.	* Production of				Education.	
	Wheat.	Oats.	Barley.	Maize.	Schools.	Scholars.
	bushels.	bushels.	bushels.	bushels.	No.	No.
1880	8,147,797	6,891,961	1,221,276	.....	1,114	93,639
1881	8,297,890	6,924,848	664,093	.....	1,135	93,547
1882	10,270,591	10,520,428	737,163	.....	1,173	97,181
1883	9,827,136	9,231,339	964,456	.....	1,200	103,731
1884	6,866,777	12,360,449	1,205,906	.....	1,252	109,441
1885	4,242,285	8,603,702	896,816	.....	1,301	114,396
1886	6,297,638	11,973,295	558,606	.....	1,342	118,825
1887	9,924,059	10,512,119	760,874	223,270	1,392	124,336
1888	8,770,246	10,977,065	1,402,537	207,275	1,427	126,578
1889	8,448,506	13,673,584	1,342,823	270,282	1,448	128,914
1890	5,723,610	9,947,036	758,833	238,864	1,498	131,538
1891	10,257,738	11,099,020	688,683	238,746	1,536	133,665
1892	8,378,217	9,893,989	654,231	171,661	1,576	137,076
1893	4,891,695	12,153,068	724,653	224,539	1,654	139,612
1894	3,613,037	10,221,393	1,000,612	232,890	1,712	141,927
1895	6,843,768	12,263,540	1,035,762	611,200	1,762	144,515
1896	5,926,523	11,232,803	821,506	.....†	1,816	144,984
1897	5,670,017	9,738,391	709,874	.....†	1,863	146,644
1898	13,073,416	16,511,388	1,677,908	813,379	1,949	146,403
1899	8,581,898	16,325,832	1,585,145	669,896	2,009	149,250
1900	6,527,154	19,085,837	1,027,651	502,697	2,006	151,304
1901	4,046,589	15,045,233	855,993	571,834	2,044	151,450

\* Year ended 31st March next following.

† Information not available.

## No. 179.—Government Railways and Telegraphs.

Year.	* Government Railways.				Telegraphs.	
	Miles open.	Net Revenue.	Capital Expenditure.	Train Miles.	Miles of Line.	Telegrams.
	No.	£	£	No.	No.	No.
1880	1,277	314,497	9,228,334	.....	3,758	1,304,712
1881	1,319	368,927	9,443,000	2,502,804	3,824	1,438,772
1882	1,358	360,526	10,478,998	2,785,685	3,974	1,570,189
1883	1,396	305,314	11,078,500	2,841,745	4,074	1,599,400
1884	1,477	355,686	11,810,194	2,882,422	4,264	1,654,305
1885	1,613	357,079	12,472,814	3,020,550	4,493	1,774,273
1886	1,727	299,693	13,017,567	3,008,949	4,546	1,886,266
1887	1,758	307,515	13,352,978	2,944,786	4,646	1,835,394
1888	1,777	350,570	13,472,837	2,796,007	4,790	1,765,860
1889	1,809	412,783	13,899,955	2,868,203	4,874	1,802,987
1890	1,842	420,993	14,278,586	2,894,776	5,060	1,961,161
1891	1,869	408,915	14,656,691	3,010,489	5,349	1,968,264
1892	1,886	449,380	14,733,120	3,002,174	5,479	1,904,143
1893	1,948	437,434	15,137,036	3,113,231	5,513	2,069,791
1894	1,993	418,691	15,352,613	3,221,620	5,823	2,046,839
1895	2,014	431,673	15,425,532	3,307,226	6,245	2,124,211
1896	2,018	497,104	15,577,392	3,409,218	6,285	2,520,169
1897	2,055	518,817	15,993,903	3,666,483	6,484	2,696,223
1898	2,090	539,928	16,404,076	3,968,708	6,736	2,960,738
1899	2,104	571,533	16,703,887	4,187,893	6,910	3,589,777
1900	2,212	599,388	17,207,328	4,620,971	7,249	3,898,128
1901	2,235	622,349	18,170,722	5,066,630	7,469	4,167,951

\* Year ended 31st March next following.

Letters and Post Cards.		Newspapers.	Letters and Post Cards.		Newspapers.
1895	29,586,949	12,675,973	1899	40,127,422	15,717,388
1896	30,442,053	13,216,521	1900	41,806,994	17,045,715
1897	33,030,095	14,261,345	1901	54,089,937	18,973,632
1898	35,654,947	15,095,487			

## No. 180.—Public Finance.

Year.	Revenue.			Expenditure.	Public Debt.	Loan Expenditure.
	From Taxation.	Other.	Total.			
	£	£	£	£	£	£
1880-1	1,755,414	1,529,628	3,285,042	4,019,850	28,185,711	2,228,990
1881-2	1,890,679	1,866,814	3,757,493	3,675,797	28,479,111	1,069,927
1882-3	1,956,557	1,960,603	3,917,160	3,824,735	29,445,011	821,976
1883-4	1,957,080	1,914,187	3,871,267	3,924,005	31,071,582	1,191,784
1884-5	1,815,674	1,891,814	3,707,488	4,161,318	32,195,422	1,565,748
1885-6	2,016,730	2,080,266	4,096,996	4,282,901	33,880,722	1,178,884
1886-7	1,882,050	1,946,376	3,828,426	4,310,875	35,741,553	1,583,723
1887-8	1,876,235	1,845,444	3,721,679	4,212,474	36,758,437	1,572,786
1888-9	2,031,658	2,341,357	4,373,015	4,226,112	38,375,050	824,880
1889-1890	2,050,405	2,176,714	4,267,119	4,256,921	38,667,950	515,058
1890-1	2,173,985	2,322,043	4,496,028	4,369,566	38,830,350	398,817
1891-2	2,179,739	2,248,791	4,428,530	4,417,843	38,713,068	518,248
1892-3	2,339,511	2,330,040	4,669,551	4,324,990	39,257,840	488,781
1893-4	2,353,250	2,339,213	4,692,463	4,455,116	39,826,415	852,275
1894-5	2,300,350	2,147,549	4,447,899	4,266,712	40,386,964	600,657
1895-6	2,335,760	2,220,255	4,556,015	4,370,481	43,050,780	972,195
1896-7	2,521,911	2,276,797	4,798,708	4,509,981	44,366,618	1,089,590
1897-8	2,678,576	2,400,654	5,079,230	4,602,372	44,963,424	1,134,812
1898-9	2,707,099	2,551,129	5,258,228	4,858,511	46,938,006	1,543,683
1899-1900	2,891,125	2,808,492	5,699,618	5,140,128	47,874,452	1,571,604
1900-1901	3,042,890	2,864,026	5,906,916	5,479,704	49,591,245	1,746,141
1901-1902	3,113,079	3,039,760	6,152,839	5,914,915	52,966,447	2,890,767

NOTE.—The figures relating to Revenue are for calendar years to the end of 1894, those relating to expenditure to the end of 1883, and those relating to Loan expenditure to the end of 1890.

## No. 181.—Accumulation.

Year.	Banks. (Average of Four Quarters.)			Savings-Banks.	
	Assets.	Liabilities.	Deposits.	Number of Depositors.	Balance to credit on 31st December
	£	£	£		£
1880	14,220,275	9,550,177	8,538,935	47,462	1,148,992
1881	14,863,645	10,083,188	9,069,377	61,054	1,549,515
1882	17,162,234	10,015,273	8,945,346	68,358	1,832,047
1883	17,794,761	9,706,700	8,659,477	73,546	1,784,631
1884	18,442,139	10,691,599	9,643,214	79,514	1,926,759
1885	18,811,567	11,130,244	10,083,296	85,769	2,142,560
1886	19,041,827	11,603,194	10,579,711	91,296	2,133,861
1887	18,799,847	11,995,495	11,031,614	97,496	2,407,776
1888	18,709,444	12,108,353	11,155,778	103,046	2,691,693
1889	17,652,915	12,486,717	11,528,424	110,566	2,858,644
1890	17,735,259	13,356,598	12,368,610	118,344	3,137,023
1891	16,814,518	13,820,458	12,796,098	126,886	3,406,949
1892	17,558,168	14,623,335	13,587,062	135,827	3,580,544
1893	18,255,534	15,489,633	14,433,777	147,199	3,966,849
1894	17,746,421	14,930,791	13,927,217	154,405	4,066,594
1895*	18,159,781	14,491,627	13,544,415	163,513	4,620,696
1896	16,900,199	15,520,431	14,490,827	175,173	5,065,864
1897	17,276,771	15,380,248	14,290,512	187,954	5,520,080
1898	17,013,404	15,299,058	14,143,229	199,464	5,746,887
1899	17,190,433	15,834,858	14,591,223	213,172	6,128,298
1900*	17,730,839	16,788,899	15,425,631	228,883	6,665,344
1901	18,821,773	17,283,645	15,824,431	245,024	7,268,103

\* December Quarter.

† 30th June following.

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